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Hurricane of '38 Pictures Discovered

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

Mattapoisett resident Tim Smith recently discovered a cache of photographs depicting the Hurricane of 1938's aftermath in Mattapoisett. The original pictures, which are believed to be previously unpublished, were purchased by Mr. Smith from a New York dealer in an online auction.

The photograph collection mostly depicts the Angelica Point area, where the legendary hurricane virtually destroyed an entire neighborhood. The pictures remind us of a storm that tossed cars aside like toys, and rendered cottages into nothing but sticks and debris. One of the pictures shows a metal bed frame thrown from a home, and another shows a wind-tossed car in the salt marsh. As details of the 1938 hurricane fade from our area's collective memory, we must rely on the stories of our parents, grandparents, and pictures. Photographs like these are valuable to historians, especially since Mr. Smith noted that some of the pictures are labeled with the names of the residents shown.

Mr. Smith granted *The Wanderer* the first chance to publish these photos, which will later be donated to the Mattapoisett Historical Museum. Mr. Smith said, "In addition to personal amateur photography, I like to collect nostalgic photos and post cards of just about anything, but have a keen interest in items related to Mattapoisett and the surrounding area... I feel fortunate that I was able to preserve a small part of Mattapoisett's past. My plan is to place the original photos under the care of Bette Roberts and the Mattapoisett Historical Museum."



On the Cover & Above: Mattapoisett resident Tim Smith purchased a collection of original Hurricane of 1938 photographs from an auction recently. The photographs show the devastation of the legendary hurricane in the area of Mattapoisett's Silver Shell Beach and Angelica Point. Mr. Smith does not believe that the pictures have ever been published, and gave The Wanderer the first chance at publishing the photos. He intends on donating the collection to the Mattapoisett Historical Museum. Photographer unknown; photos courtesy of Tim Smith.

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Women Build with Habitat for Humanity

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

What makes the perfect Mother's Day gift? Flowers? Candy? How about a nice hammer and a reciprocal saw?

Buzzard's Bay Habitat for Humanity will continue work on a Wareham house on May 1 and 2, when they co-host Habitat International's Women Build, a project of Habitat for Humanity International. At the event, women from southeastern Massachusetts, including the Tri-Town, will band together to finish a ranch home for a single mother and her two sons.

Christine Halle, office manager of the Mattapoisett-based Buzzard's Bay Habitat for Humanity (BBHFH) said that this is an effort to "recruit and educate women to help build homes and eliminate poverty housing." Ms. Halle said that a lot of women get involved in BBHFH on the administrative end, but might lack the confidence to work on the building end of projects. "This gets them hands on," she said. According to Ms. Halle, the Women Build project is designed "to give confidence and empower women, and allows them to learn new skills."

The timing of the project – exactly one week before Mother's Day – is not a coincidence. Habitat International hopes that women will band together during this time to donate at least one day a year to the cause of eliminating poverty housing.

This is the second time that BBHFH has participated in the Habitat International Women Build week, which will take place worldwide from May 1-9. Besides being an empowering project for women, the Women Build event boosts Habitat's pool of volunteers. According to Habitat International, "since 1998, more than

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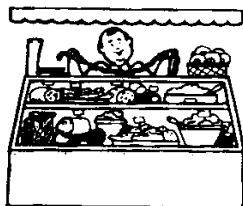
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1,400 Women Build houses have been built."

The Women Build house that BBHFH will be working on is a building that was started in 2009. Currently in a rough state with exposed studs, women will work on the weekend of May 1 and 2 to finish the home, add a shed and paint.

One volunteer for the Women Build event will be Marion resident Eunice Manduca, who was a volunteer for a Wareham Habitat for Humanity house in 2008. A trailblazer in the Rosie the Riveter movement of World War II, Ms. Manduca worked her way up to being a 20-ton overhead crane operator during the war. She is no stranger to hard work and physical labor.

"We females all know we can do this," said Ms. Manduca. "We are proving ourselves all the time, besides being grandmothers and mothers. You don't have to have a man to do this work." Ms. Manduca will be installing tubing insulation around doors on May 1. "They told me to wear gloves," she said. "So, I'll wear gloves."

Although Habitat groups employ professionals for excavation and foundation work, they rely on volunteers to keep their home-building costs down. Land is almost invariably donated, either privately or from municipalities, and that is a major savings for the organization. In addition, they employ their volunteers for the framing and carpentry, and groups like BBHFH have used vocational students to complete some of the labor as well. Students from the Upper Cape Regional Technical School have done the rough electrical and plumbing work on the house. This symbiotic relationship provides inexpensive labor for BBHFH, and gives a hands-on learning experience to the students. Local merchants have helped by selling materials at cost, and contractors occasionally pitch in, at material cost only.

The organization has to keep the bottom line in check in order to sell the house to a family in need at a reasonable, affordable price. Ms. Halle said that they try to keep their mortgages around \$75,000 to 80,000. The families who move into the home are required to follow an application process, and must provide 300 hours of sweat equity work. The family purchasing this Wareham house will be on site on May 1 to pitch in with the Women

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Build event.

Ms. Halle said that they try to keep Habitat homes designed as single family ranches, that are a "simple, decent place to live" and the home is usually around 1,000 square feet. The family is picked by a family selection committee, who determine levels of need among the applicants, and try to pick families that are in the most dire living situation. With an average monthly mortgage payment of \$600 (which includes mortgage, taxes and insurance), a Habitat home is not just a safer, better place to live, it's also less expensive than most apartments of inferior quality. Plus, it teaches families about homeownership.

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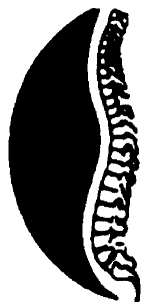
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the process," said Ms. Halle, who said that the mortgage payments, which are made to BBHFH, are rarely missed. "It's a hand-up, not a hand-out," she added.

BBHFH is always interested in land donations and new volunteers. For more information, visit www.BuzzardsBayHabitat.org, or call 508-758-4517.

"Lady Legs" Ready to Run

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

The "Lady Legs" are going to make their way this weekend in an all-ladies Cape Relay. 12 women, including five Mattapoisett residents, a Rochester resident, and other area women with ties to Mattapoisett, will be running from Squantum Point in Quincy to Provincetown, MA on May 1.

The team includes Mattapoisett residents Cindy Stellato, Greta Plante, Karen Coucci, Holly Smith, Hannah Brownell, and Rochester resident Paula Church. The team "Lady Legs" was the result of Ms. Stellato and her quest to find a new running adventure.

Ms. Stellato's whole running career started, ironically enough, with donuts. She had sprinted for track in high school, but years later, her running days were just a memory. She sat on a porch on Beacon Street in Mattapoisett one year watching the annual July 4 Road Race while she drank coffee and ate donuts.

"And then I realized that I didn't want to be the one eating the donuts anymore," she laughed.

Ms. Stellato took to the streets, and trained herself with determination and hard work. "At first, I couldn't even breathe by the end of a mile!" she said, but within a year, she was competing in races. To date, she has completed a 5k, a 10-mile, and a half-marathon.

After seeing an online ad, Ms. Stellato got interested in the Cape Relay Event, and thought the 198-mile run would make a fun, new adventure. With help from her sister, Hannah Brownell, and a couple of college/classmate reunions on Facebook, Ms. Stellato soon had a 12-member running team that goes by the name of "Lady Legs."

"This is an inaugural event," said Ms. Stellato. "I saw this relay and I thought it would be an adventure."



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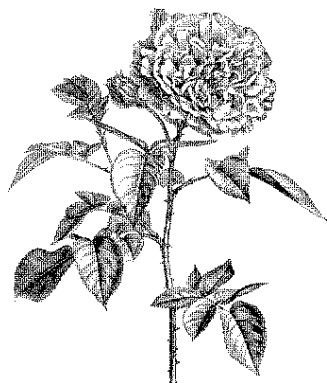
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"Lady Legs" will be one of 200 teams competing in the May 1 event that will meander along side roads, main roads, and scenic Route 3A. The team will start on May 1 at 7:30 am, and will have one runner on the road at all times during the weekend-long event – even in the middle of the night.

Two vans carrying the team will "leapfrog" along the course, according to Ms. Smith, who also identifies herself as a fairly new runner. Besides awards for the best times, the Cape Relay will also award prizes for the most spirited team. "Lady Legs" will be attending the race with the two vans decked out in mannequin legs, lips and eyelashes.

Besides having lots of fun and memories to last a lifetime, Ms. Smith said, "I am looking forward to finishing and feeling like I accomplished something. Training was really hard for the six months. When I started I was barely running a mile. Now I'm up to six or seven miles."

Each runner will run a different leg of the course, with each runner taking three turns. This will be the first time that most of the members of "Lady Legs" have participated in the Cape Relay event.

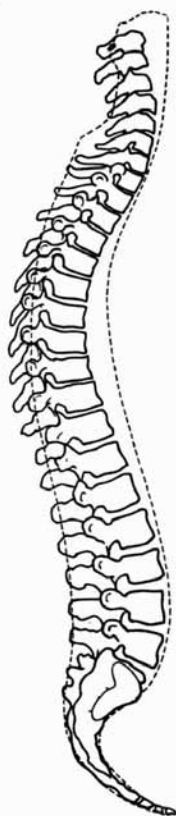
"Lady Legs" has shown that they are all in this together with plenty of cooperation and good, old-fashioned team spirit. A food assignment sheet shows what each member will bring to feed the team, and each member has been assigned safety items to bring to the night race portion of the event. On the Thursday evening before the race, the ladies will all get together to decorate their vans.

Ms. Stellato is clearly excited about the race. "It's fun to set a goal," she said. "I think it's the most wonderful thing in the world."

History Files: The First Town Meeting in Mattapoisett, 1837

By Laura Pedulli

The lengthy preparations leading up to Mattapoisett's annual town meeting involve the whole cast and crew of the town, from the Town Administrator and Selectmen, to the Planning and School Board



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But how did it all begin? When was the first town meeting in Mattapoisett? Answer: the spring of 1837.

It all happened in March 1837, when Rochester townspeople (which at that point included folks from the entire Tri-Town), especially those in Mattapoisett, were getting tired of the commute to Rochester Center. Thus, they boldly decided to move the town meeting from Rochester Center to Mattapoisett's First Christian Meeting House on April 3, 1837. The First Christian Meeting House in current form is the Museum of the Mattapoisett Historical Society located at 5 Church St – just a block and a half from the current Town Hall.



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Reverend Thomas Robbins wrote in his journal: "April 3, attended town-meeting, the first time, I suppose, ever held in [Mattapoisett] village. A great strife for the place. It was adjourned to meet next at the center of the town by a vote of 299 against 296. I spoke a little but did not vote... was an unpleasant affair."

This affair was so unpleasant, that town leaders voted to continue the meeting on April 17 and vote again on whether to consider a venue change. Tensions were high as people arrived en masse for the important vote. One local provided cheese and crackers for people who traveled from further distances. The crowd built up so much that the vote could not fully be taken in the meeting house. However, with the exception of old men who voted in the house, younger men were sent into a field for their votes to be tallied. Since there were so many in attendance, they counted by grouping men by their vote.

More than 600 men arrived for the vote; when is the last time you've seen that many people at a Town Meeting? Overall, 324 voted in favor of holding the town meeting in Mattapoisett; 278 voted against the move. After another vote, the town leaders voted to continue the meeting again on April 24!

The next meeting arrived with a strong northeast storm, which kept most locals away except for the people of Mattapoisett. At this meeting and at another continued meeting on April 26, more votes were tallied for leadership positions. At this point, those opposing the new venue change truly gave up the effort to bring the meeting back to Rochester's center.

Then the town leaders scheduled yet another continuation of the town meeting for July 11, "done simply for the joy of holding another meeting in Mattapoisett," according to the reverend. "Thus ended the longest and most strenuous town meeting recorded in the annals of Rochester," said early 20th century historian Mary Hall Leonard.

The Town Meeting brouhaha between Rochester peoples merely set the stage for things to come: by the mid 1850s, both Marion and Mattapoisett separated

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and incorporated as separate towns (Of course, the irony is that now everyone is talking about Tri-Town regionalization efforts!).

So as you gear up for this year's edition of the annual town meeting, do not forget the history of the Mattapoisett Town Meeting, and remember – every vote counts!

Rochester Examines Land Use Changes

By Laura Pedulli

Rochester locals treasure the town's rural character and low-density spaces. As future growth and new development are inevitable, town officials are investigating ways the town can evolve in a manner

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palatable to its residents. For the planning board, that means finalizing town-wide land use and re-zoning plans, writing corresponding bylaws, and eventually bringing such changes to a town meeting for codification.

On April 24, planning board officials met with more than 25 locals at Rochester Memorial School to solicit their input on proposed land use changes to the town Master Plan. Planning Board member Robert Cummings offered residents a look at proposed changes, which include:

- Residential/light commercial zoning in the town center
- Industrial/commercial zoning in the northwest corner of the town
- Dense development on three small areas around the town border, including on County St.
- Two small areas for agriculture enterprises
- Two small areas near Route 6 for light commercial

These changes attempt to harness more commercial and industrial uses to rev up the town budget, protect coveted agricultural businesses, and update the town center. On the topic of inevitable change, Mr. Cummings said: "If we don't talk about it, it'll happen to us. If we keep going the way we are going, we are in deep [trouble]." He particularly expressed concern that Rochester is overly residential, which effectively squeezes the town budget out of commercial and

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Selectman Richard Nunes, also at the meeting, concurred with Mr. Cummings. "There is no one who doesn't like the town right now. The problem is that there will be change. We either plan for it or have it happen to us. Until this point, we are letting it happen to us," he said.

One area of strong interest to attendees and addressed at the meeting is transportation. Participants expressed a desire for walkability, especially around the town center. In addition, it was noted that residents, especially bicyclists, have safety concerns about certain intersections, namely the Route 105/Rounseville Rd. intersection near Plumb Corner Mall.

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In response, Mr. Cummings discussed a transportation plan that would include a roundabout at the town center connecting Route 105, Rounseville Rd., and Dexter Lane Rd. He said the Massachusetts Highway Department recommended the change. However, Phil Herr, a town planning consultant studying possible zoning changes for Plumb Corner, cautioned against such an approach. "I can't think of a village center built around a roundabout. They do not work well with pedestrians," he said.

Mr. Cummings also described the Mary's Pond Rd/Route 105 as "an accident waiting to happen" and suggested that Mary's Pond Road be rerouted to join Route 105 at a 90 degree angle. He said such a change could occur during a later phase of the town's transportation plan.

The lack of a broad range of housing types in Rochester also was addressed. For example, participants discussed seniors living in large homes who have no opportunity to downsize due to a shortage of apartments, condos and multi-family homes. Also, one participant expressed general concern about the isolation of seniors, and proposed that four or five seniors could share one of Rochester's larger houses to help preserve town character while encouraging camaraderie. Another message from participants is the need to prepare a strategy to raise the town's tax base to ensure continued services.

Already, the town is getting hit with funding shortfalls, Mr. Cummings said. "Next year, the budget is in bad shape," he said, noting that money is being eliminated from the planning budget. One consequence is the elimination of the full-time town planner position currently held by Randall Kunz. Selectman Nunes noted that Rochester currently is investigating sharing a town planner with another town.

Overall, Mr. Cummings stressed that despite the proposed changes, most of Rochester already is developed. He said the planning board is looking to work with someone who owns a sizeable amount of land in Rochester to "get what we want" in terms of keeping unfavorable development at bay. Also, he recommended finding a suitable company to fund their

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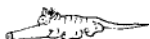


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In the meantime, the planning board is urging Rochester residents to come forward and voice their opinions about the proposed land use changes to the town's master plan. Planning board member Gary Florindo noted the lack of public participation at planning board meetings and urged residents to attend. According to Mr. Cummings, who is leaving for California in the fall, the upcoming part-time planner and possibly a consultant such as Mr. Herr, will push forward the process of finalizing the land use and zoning plans and subsequently write corresponding bylaws. He anticipates that these proposed bylaws will be presented at the 2011 Annual

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Town Meeting.

Selectmen Will Draft Aquaculture Regulations

Mattapoissett Board of Selectmen

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

A scheduled meeting of the Mattapoissett Board of Selectmen was called to order by Chairman Jordan Collyer on Monday, April 26, 2010 in the Center School cafeteria at 6:30 pm. Also in attendance were Selectmen Paul Silva and George Randall, Town Administrator Michael Gagne and Assistant to the Selectmen Melody Pacheco.

The minutes of the April 26 meeting, both regular and executive session, were approved.

In Action items, the Board voted to approve:

- A common victualler license for the Rochester Firefighter's Association for the Memorial Day Boat Race.
- A common victualler and entertainment license for Real Ventures Investments, owners of Southcoast Local at 81 Fairhaven Road in Mattapoissett. This is the new location of the former Nest diner. The new restaurant will serve breakfast, brunch items, lunch and dinner items, and will pursue a wine and malt license at a later date.

In their first appointment, the Board conducted a public hearing for Chapman Dickerson, a Mattapoissett native and resident of River Road, for an aquaculture application to farm Eastern Oysters and quahogs in the area of Brant Island Cove. Approximately 40 people, abutters and town residents, were present to hear Mr. Dickerson's presentation. Selectman Randall, an abutter to the cove, recused himself from the hearing.

Mr. Dickerson, along with his assistant and employee Matt Loo, gave a PowerPoint presentation outlining the parameters of their proposed aquaculture venture. The proposed location would be a spot on the eastern side of the cove, and in the summer, would be very close to the shoreline; in the winter, Mr. Dickerson planned to sink the black mesh bags used for raising his oysters in slightly deeper waters, but this proposed location all stayed within the parameters of his two-acre application.

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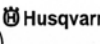
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Mr. Dickerson reiterated his colleague's data, saying that shellfish operations are different than "fin aquaculture" operations in that no fertilizers, feeds, chemicals, herbicides, drugs or antibiotics are used in raising the shellfish. "We're not adding anything," said Mr. Dickerson. "You can't add anything to make [an oyster] grow faster."

Mr. Dickerson and Mr. Loo assured the audience and Board that navigation through the waters would not be affected, there would be no power-washing on site or industrial noises made by the operation, and the bags used would have virtually no visual impact. Mr. Dickerson appealed to the fishing history of Mattapoisett, and said, "this won't benefit us. This will benefit the whole town."

Although the Board made it clear that, in light of legal and fairness issues presented at a previous aquaculture hearing for applicant Jim O'Dowd, they would not be making any decisions until a town-wide aquaculture protocol was established, the chairman still facilitated a question and answer session from the audience in regards to Mr. Dickerson's application.

Horace Field, a resident of Mattapoisett Neck Road, said that his mooring was the closest to the



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application site. He said that in southwest winds, he has to "hug the shore" to get to his mooring, so he disputed the claim that the farm site would not interfere with navigation. "It's a little too close for comfort," said Mr. Field, who also refuted the claim that there were no shellfish in the proposed location. He said that there were a "plethora of quahogs" there.

Justin Dover, a resident of Brandt Island Road disagreed with Mr. Field in regards to the presence of shellfish in the location. "There's not a lot going on over there," said Mr. Dover, who supported the promoted application grant. Mr. Dover was excited to see a resident looking to live and work within Mattapoisett waters.

Another supporter of the aquaculture application was Paul Osenkowski, who has been a vocal supporter of aquaculture in general at the previous Mattapoisett aquaculture meetings. "There are quahogs there," said Mr. Osenkowski, "but they are very few and far between."

A few residents were concerned, however, with the subject of transferring or selling aquaculture



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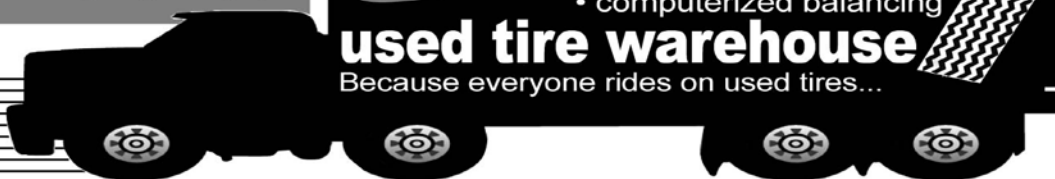
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licenses in the future. Chairman Collyer said that, in any aquaculture regulations they draft, they would include the town's right to oversee and regulate the sale/transfer of aquaculture licenses.

The discourse following Mr. Dickerson's presentation was more directed at the concern of aquaculture in general, and the public used the time to present concerns that they hoped the Selectmen would include in an aquaculture regulations draft that they are working on for the May 25 Selectmen's meeting. Chairman Collyer said that the Board had no intention of "reinventing the wheel," and that they would use public comment in conjunction with previous rules established in Duxbury and Sandwich, MA, where aquaculture

proliferates. They have not ruled out the possibility of charging applicants for use of the water, and insurance and bonds are all being considered in the regulations. Also, Chairman Collyer suspected that there were more spots in Mattapoisett that would be conducive to oyster farms, therefore, Brant Island Cove won't necessarily be the only spot for aquaculture farms.

"With all due respect to the folks who made the applications, it's more important for me to make sure that we get this right for the town than it is for two people," said Chairman Collyer, who said he would use a public forum to help draft their regulations. The Board also said that they would conduct their own research to see if there are shellfish in the proposed location.

As promised, the Board voted to officially continue the hearing to a later, undetermined date.

In a second appointment, the Board met with Susan Guiducci, a member of the Agricultural Commission in Dartmouth, MA. Since there is an article on the Town Meeting warrant proposing the formation of an agricultural commission for Mattapoisett, Mr. Gagne asked Ms. Guiducci to speak on the benefits of such a commission. Ms. Guiducci said that the members of an agricultural commission work as liaisons in disputes that farmers may have with abutters or the Board of Health, and they work as an advocacy group for farmers. Ms. Guiducci said that an agricultural commission saves the town time and money in conflict resolution. There are 131

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In his Town Administrator's report, Mr. Gagne said that there would be packets on important information relevant to Annual Town Meeting, including warrant articles, available in the town hall by the end of the week, probably around April 29. There would also be a cable access presentation on the warrant, which will be aired on ORCTV over the next couple of weeks, and will be streamed live on the town hall website, www.Mattapoissett.net. A schedule of the ORCTV times will be published on the town hall website.

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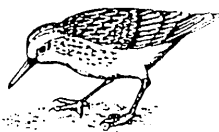
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There being no more public business, the Board voted to go into executive session at 8:40 pm for the purpose of collective bargaining.

Favorable Aquaculture Hearing Continued

Marion Board of Selectmen

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order by Chairman Stephen Cushing on April 27, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the Marion Town House. Also in attendance were Selectman Jonathan Henry, Town Administrator Paul Dawson and Assistant to the Selectmen Helene Craver. Selectman Roger Blanchette was absent from the meeting.

In Action items, the Board voted to:

- Grant a one-day wine and malt license to the Music Hall on May 15.

- Approve the request for the closure of Front Street for Tabor Academy's commencement ceremony on May 29 from 1:30 to 3:30 pm.

- Issue letters of appreciation to long-time EMTs Everett Eaton and Charles Brown. Both Mr. Eaton and Mr. Brown recently submitted letters of resignation, citing health issues.

In their first appointment, the Board held a public hearing for Catherine Brodeur's oyster aquaculture application. Ms. Brodeur, a lifelong resident of Rochester, said that she has been fishing for 27 years, and started her fishing career in Marion waters when she was 19. The proposed location of her application would be a half-acre off the northeast corner of Ram Island, with future plans to expand into the area of Planting Island. Ms. Brodeur

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said that she would cultivate American oysters, bay scallops, quahogs, and blue mussels, but her first year would just focus on oysters.

Ms. Brodeur would begin her operation with 300 bags and would plan on expanding her site by one-quarter of an acre after the first year. In her application, she would ask for six moorings.

"I don't see any real adverse effects [from] the project," said Ms. Brodeur, who said that any pressure washing would take place off-site, and sorting would be conducted manually, at least in the first few years of the operation. After raking the site with the permission of Shellfish Officer Isaac Perry, Ms. Brodeur found the site was virtually free of shellfish, which is a state prerequisite

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Unlike some of the aquaculture hearings that have recently taken place in Marion and Mattapoisett, Ms. Brodeur's hearing was marked with considerable support from both public officials and the public alike.

Harbormaster Michael Cormier was present to comment on the aspect of navigation. "I see no navigation problems in that area at all," said Mr. Cormier.

Selectman Henry spoke to the common concern of residents, who ask what the town benefit of a private venture in public waters would be. Mr. Perry answered, "You take an area that is not producing shellfish and you make it a productive site." Mr. Perry claimed that this could be a long-term benefit to the town and should be considered part of the town benefit.

A letter from the closest abutter to the project, Michael Moore, was mostly supportive of the project, but asked the Board to consider and study the possible impact of an aquaculture farm on the endangered Diamond-backed Terrapin.

Another letter from Catherine Moore Tripp, Managing Trustee of the Moore Marion Trust, asked the Board to consider nighttime navigation and insurance policies for the proposed oyster farm.

Of the 15 abutters notified, only one appeared in person at the public hearing, and she largely supported the aquaculture application.

Ms. Brodeur said that she would place reflective

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tape on the buoys to aid in nighttime navigation, and the Board determined that insurance would not necessarily be a requirement for Ms. Brodeur's operation. Mr. Cormier suspected that, even if the mesh bags used in oyster raising were to break loose, they would not cause much damage. Further, it would be very similar to a small, uninsured boat breaking loose and causing damage after a storm. Ms. Brodeur said, insured or not, if her equipment ever caused damage after a storm, she would consider herself responsible for the damage. Mr. Dawson agreed that any potential damage would be considered a "civil matter".

A letter from the planning board suggested that the Selectmen place a one-year moratorium on new aquaculture licenses until further progress could be made in determining laws and making regulations, but the Board did not comment on this letter. Instead, a representative of the Marine Resources Commission (MRC) suggested that MRC and the planning board meet to discuss grounds and reasoning for this request.

The Board decided to continue the hearing until the next meeting on May 4 at 7:30 pm, so Selectman Blanchette could also weigh in on the decision.

In a second public hearing, Russ Robinson presented a need for two new utility poles, one being in the area of Converse Road near Clark Street, and one being opposite of Kabeyun Road. Despite a couple letters of concern in regards to the placement of the pole opposite of Kabeyun Road, the pole's proposed placement will have to remain as is, since it supports all the other poles leading down the road. The selectmen voted to approve the two new poles.

In his Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dawson reported some findings of the Fire Chief Study Committee (FCSC). The committee had been formed to determine Marion's needs in regards to a fire chief. The current fire chief, Thomas Joyce, is a part-time employee who is limited in hours and pay since he is a retired town employee. Just the same, Mr. Dawson said that the FCSC thinks Chief Joyce is doing "a phenomenal job" on a part-time basis and it was the recommendation of the committee to continue with the current arrangement.

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In a third appointment, the Board met with two of the three applicants for the Marion Affordable Housing Trust (MAHT). There is currently one opening on the trust. The two applicants at the Board meeting, Eunice Manduca and Nick Grace, are both town residents with a special interest in affordable housing. Ms. Manduca served on an earlier incarnation of the Affordable Housing Trust and Mr. Grace practiced estate law in Boston, where he had a particular interest in affordable housing and homelessness.

The two candidates introduced themselves to the Board and answered a few questions about their qualifications and opinions on several pressing affordable housing matters.

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Mr. Grace said that he has never served on a board in town, but his law experience and interest in affordable housing would make him an apt candidate. He largely supports the state requirements in fulfilling 40B housing, calling it a "good tradition".

Ms. Manduca said that she could bring "common sense" and "practical experience" to the MAHT. As a woman of 87 years, she understands the challenges facing those in need of affordable housing. However, Ms. Manduca stood on the "other side of the road" in regards to 40B housing, saying that it was impractical and unfair to Marion to lump affordable housing into one large group of housing. She supported the idea of permitting smaller, dispersed units to fulfill affordable housing needs.

The Board thanked the candidates and decided to wait until a third candidate could meet with the Board to make an appointment to the MAHT.

There being no more business, the Board voted to adjourn at 8:35 pm.

Tabling of Airstrip Petition Recommended

Rochester Planning Board

By Laura Pedulli

A meeting of the Rochester Planning Board was called to order by Chairman Arnold Johnson on April 27, 2010 at 7:15 pm at the Rochester Town Hall. Also present were committee members Gary Florindo, Robert Cummings, John DeMaggio, the new board member Dan McGaffey and Planning Board Secretary Shirley Darcy.

As the first order of business, the board approved the March 23 minutes in addition to April 17 minutes related to a site visit. In a few short action items, the board:

- Confirmed to David Cass of Geodetic Engineering that frontage is properly documented in an Approval Not Required application for property off Mendell Road.
- Voted to submit a compliance notification to the building administrator in regards to American Tower.
- Voted to use 20 hours of free consultant work from the Southern Regional Planning and Economic



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Development District (SRPEDD) to assist with new zoning bylaws based on the comprehensive plan.

The board then entered into a public hearing for a special permit regarding the back lot and common driveway for a property off Snipatuit Road. After a presentation by Richard Charon of Charon Associates on behalf of applications Erica Beniot and Kathryn Guy, the board voted to continue the public hearing at a later date to collect additional information. In addition to general tweaking of the proposed plan, the board needed from the applicant an additional plan demonstrating the ability to do a subdivision and a formal request for a waiver allowing underground electricity.

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Mr. McGaffey to the board, and shortly thereafter established Mr. DeMaggio as the board's Associate Clerk and Mr. McGaffey as the Assistant Clerk. The board then discussed the need to replace the Honorable Chris Byron, who passed away in March. Specifically, the board suggested that anyone interested in the position notify the selectmen immediately. The selectmen will appoint the chosen person who will need to run for re-election in April 2011 to complete Mr. Byron's term that expires in April 2012.

The next agenda item involved a resident's petition that pertained to the use of private landing strips for fixed-wing single aircrafts. Colman Lalli presented his petition as a means to restrict private landing strips from use near churches, schools and dense communities for safety considerations. "There really aren't many rules and restrictions on airstrips," he said.

The board reflected on Town Counsel Blair Bailey's preliminary comments to the petition in which he stated that the petitioner should bring his concerns to the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission for review. Mr. Johnson seconded that thought noting that even if the petition gained approval at town meeting, it would still require the commission's approval and may get tossed out if the Attorney General deems it unsuitable. "There are at least three or four major flaws in the petition," he said, noting that although amendments are possible during the town meeting, a petitioner cannot make the dramatic amendments necessary to make the petition more legally sound. Mr. Johnson added that although it is too late for the resident's warrant article to be removed from the town meeting agenda, he recommended tabling it at the meeting.

Mr. Cummings also weighed in, noting that the petition is vague and fails to provide adequate definitions for aircraft and land strip. "It isn't ready for prime time," he said. However, he added that if Mr. Lalli does gain support from the Aeronautics Commission, he could attempt to "make it part of the comprehensive plan." Mr. DeMaggio said that he did not find the petition necessary. "I don't know if additional regulations are going to help. I don't think they would reduce the likelihood of a crash."

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In response to a direct question from Mr. Florindo as to what prompted the petition, Mr. Lalli described a recent incidence of a plane flying in a hayfield close to his house. "I was terrified. I figured this is too close."

Then one attendee of the meeting spoke up about his belief that a neighbor dispute prompted Mr. Lalli to submit the petition, which the petitioner denied. The attendee – Glenn Lawrence – opposed the petition and said that during a recent phone call, the petitioner shared his annoyance with a particular neighbor due to loud aircrafts. "We are ruled and regulated to death," Mr. Lawrence said, urging the board and country-at-large to avoid further regulating peoples' behavior, which he feels undermines their hard-earned freedoms. He said he does not want his freedom to fly planes restricted.

"I like the planes going up and down Snipatuit Pond, but not grazing my roof," responded Mr. Lalli. Benjamin Bailey, the neighbor of Mr. Lalli, also spoke regarding the incident that scared Mr. Lalli and said that particular pilot will never again land on his property.

Following a lengthy discussion on eroding freedoms and public rights in Rochester and elsewhere, Mr. Johnson concluded that the planning board "is not in the business of litigating civil rights." Shortly later, the board voted to recommend that Mr. Lalli table the petition until a comprehensive town plan is complete and until it receives the support of the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission.

Following the public hearing, Mr. Cummings briefly discussed the recent land use forum and discussed arranging a visit with consultant Phil Herr on his town center analysis.

Shortly thereafter, the board discussed the need for better communication regarding the two approaches to filling a part-time planner or engineer position to assist the board. To facilitate greater communication between the planning board and selectmen – the first which desires a part-time engineer or technical expert and the other that seeks to share a planner with a neighboring town --- the board voted for Mr. McGaffey to meet with selectmen regarding this issue. "The part-time person should not be hired in a vacuum," Mr. Cummings said.

The planning board voted to adjourn at 9:25 pm.

Board Seeks Temporary Moratorium on Aquaculture

Marion Planning Board

By Laura Pedulli

A regular meeting of the Marion Planning Board was called to order by Chairman Tom Magauran on Monday, April 26 at 7:15 pm in the Marion Town Hall. Also present were board members Joseph Napoli, Jay Ryder, Steve Gonsalves, John Sweeney, Jay Crowley, Patricia McArdle and Planning Board Secretary Terry Santos.

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Chairman Magauran opened the meeting by explaining the removal of a scheduled agenda item, namely a public hearing on proposed alternative Neighborhood Overlay District zoning. He said after the April 10 workshop gauging public response to the proposed zoning bylaw changes, the planning board convened a special meeting. During this meeting, Mr. Magauran said the board overwhelmingly decided to pull the article from consideration at the May town meeting with the hope of further examining methods of warding off unfavorable development.

For now, Mr. Magauran said the board plans to schedule additional meetings so the public can further weigh in on zoning changes to the town. He hopes that the resulting zoning proposal will be included for consideration at the fall town meeting. Until then, "we hope we can keep up enthusiasm during the summer months," he said.

The second agenda item involved a detailed review of the Marion Housing Needs Assessment, which looked at where the town stands in achieving state affordable housing goals. The board was asked to formally approve and comment on the assessment for the Marion Affordable Housing Trust; the report eventually is submitted to the state as required by law.

The report analyzed the use of multi-unit residential housing, subdivisions and their phasing-in processes, inclusionary housing, conservation housing, cluster homes and accessory homes – but due to the relatively low growth and few large tracts of land available to develop, the town of Marion did not have much to report. However, Mr. Magauran did say that Marion has "many, many" accessory homes, some of which are not up to code. However, he said that the town does not have the appetite to aggressively enforce

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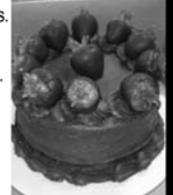


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compliance with accessory home regulations, which include an annual permit requirement. During a later part of the meeting, Mr. Sweeney recommended looking at an initiative in Barnstable that sets aside money for people looking to bring their units up to code and allow landowners more discretion regarding who could live in their affordable housing units. "We can look into that," the chairman said.

Chairman Magauran then offered his opinion on Chapter 40B – a state statute enabling the Zoning Board of Appeals to approve affordable housing developments under flexible rules if at least 20 to 25 percent of the units have long-term affordability restrictions. Towns with 10 percent or more of affordable housing units are immune from this statute.

"Personally, I think this law is terrible. I think this requirement is reprehensible," said the chairman, urging those against 40B to back the movement to repeal the law. He said that Marion does not offer what people needing affordable housing would require, such as general government services, jobs, or public transportation. Moreover, he said Marion locals looking to downsize and possibly move into an affordable housing development such as Little Neck Village likely would not meet requirements, thus those moving into 40B developments would not be from Marion. "We've spent \$500,000 on housing that doesn't serve Marion," he said.

Ms. Crowley then suggested that the planning

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board invite Rep. William Straus and his opponent in the fall upcoming election for a frank talk on their views of 40B. After a brief discussion, the board entertained a motion to invite the representative to an upcoming meeting. Everyone but Mr. Sweeney voted for the measure; Mr. Sweeney said, "It doesn't feel right to me personally... It is out of character for the board."

Despite his objections to 40B as a concept, Mr. Magauran recommended that the board approve the housing needs assessment "to protect us from 40B developers." The board voted unanimously to approve the housing assessment.

The board then voted unanimously to release Dunkin Donuts from a \$10,000 bond for pavement work that is now complete.

The conversation then turned to two pending shellfish aquaculture applications. One seeks to expand an existing operation near Ram Island, and the other seeks to begin a small operation at Job's Cove. In his comments, Mr. Ryder expressed concern that the approval of such operations would prompt more applicants. "Where

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do you stop?" he asked, noting that navigation and recreational water usage could be affected. "When can we say someone can make money off of a resource we already share?" he added. In response, Mr. Napoli replied that conditions on approvals would prevent interference with navigation.

In his comments, Chairman Magauran said that the list of unanswered questions about aquaculture operations – including what fees can be levied and whether they can be taxed – require further investigation. He suggested the board recommend to town selectmen – who holds jurisdiction over aquaculture applications – the establishment of a moratorium so town officials can fully research and examine the best way to proceed with applications. "It is a natural resource [that] benefits the whole community," he said. "We ought to look at how the town benefits from [the proposed aquaculture operations]."

The board then approved a formal recommendation to the selectmen to place a one-year moratorium on all aquaculture approvals until more research and analysis is conducted.

At this point, the March 22 minutes were unanimously approved. In addition, the board approved four invoices related to public notification of hearings.

The last agenda item involved a continued public hearing on a site review plan for 454 Wareham Road. This commercial property is adjacent to Dunkin Donuts; both



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Jack O'Leary of Merrill Associates, who represented applicant Sardinha Family Trust, responded to issues raised at a March 22 meeting. Mr. O'Leary discussed measures to soften the exterior lights, legally combine the Dunkin Donuts parcel and lot in question, and provide a place for a dumpster. However, two issues arose, including the applicant's decision not to offer alternatives to the curb cuts currently in his site plan. Specifically, Mr. Magauran said that the board would require sidewalks, treescaping, and restructuring of curb cuts to limit the possibility of cars backing out on Route 6 as conditions of approval. In response, Mr. O'Leary expressed concern that a sidewalk would not work with the property's configuration.

The second issue involved landscaping. Despite an abutter's recent request that no landscaping screen be put between the commercial property and her residence, Mr. Magauran said some kind of buffer between residential and commercial property is required by law and thus recommended six foot plants or trees.

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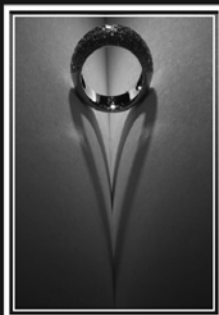
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The board currently has until May 11 to approve or deny the site plan, but requested the applicant to extend the review time. Mr. O'Leary said he would relay the request to the applicant for a response. Shortly thereafter, Mr. Ryder asked Mr. O'Leary and the applicant to "get findings in a more timely manner" to the board.

At the close of the meeting, Ms. Crowley briefly brought up three ideas for discussion: a possible demolition delay for historic houses; a possible Sippican Harbor Overlay District; and scenic road designations for Point Rd. The board opted to investigate these ideas further.

The board voted to adjourn at 9:20 pm.

Petition Seeks to Abolish Historic District, Commission

Rochester Board of Selectmen

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

A meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was held on April 22, 2010 at 7:00 pm. In attendance were Chairman Richard Nunes, Selectmen Bradford Morse and Naida Parker and Town Administrator Richard LaCamera.

In his Town Administrator's report, Mr. LaCamera said that at the May 3 meeting, the Board would be reviewing the articles for the Special and Annual Town Meetings, which are scheduled to take place on May 17, 2010, at the Old Colony High School,

476 North Ave in Rochester. The Special Town Meeting will occur at 6:45 pm; the Annual Town Meeting will begin at 7:00 pm.

At the May 3 Board of Selectmen meeting, the Board will also ask the petitioners of two articles on the warrant to present their petitions to the public. One petition asks town meeting members to approve a new zoning by-law to allow private landing strips for fixed-wing aircrafts, and another petition seeks to abolish the Rochester Historic District Commission and the Historic District.

At a regional health meeting, Mr. LaCamera said that the town received a reasonable bid for trash services from ABC Disposal. The annual disposal rate proposed by ABC would be lower than the current rate that Rochester pays. In the first year, the disposal cost would be \$150,000 with a one-month credit, which would be \$26,000 lower than Rochester's current rate. In the second year, the rate will go up to \$168,000, which is still \$8,000 lower than what the town is currently paying.

Mr. LaCamera said that he thinks the Board of Health may greenlight the trash removal proposal.

"It's a fair price. That's all you can ask of anybody," said Selectman Parker.

The Board said that the Planning Board is looking for a Rochester resident to fill the position of Chris Byron, who passed away suddenly in March 2010. Anyone interested in filling the unexpired term should contact the

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The Board voted to adjourn at 7:15 pm.

School Report

State Ethics Quiz and Reminders

By Anne Smith

If you check the Old Rochester Regional website, you'll find a link to what is called the state ethics quiz. The link has been posted online for the municipal employees and volunteers at the high school. "It's not an education reform," ORR Principal Michael Devoll says, "rather a reform for all municipal employees." As Mr. Devoll explains the quiz, all municipal employees and volunteers must take this quiz, and public school districts



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The public is invited to look at the questions on the ethics quiz. "If you click on the link and go through some of the questions you will see that it is primarily helping public employees avoid conflicts of interest in their current occupations," Mr. Devoll explains.

The state ethics quiz website also has links to study information, so curious community members may browse through the PowerPoints to see what is being tested. One of the slides, for example, recommends that employees and volunteers ask "how will this look in the papers?" when considering accepting gratuities. The PowerPoint leaves viewers with two quick tips: "When in doubt, don't," and "If a bell goes off or a flag goes up, call."

Changing topic, congratulations are due to Old Rochester Regional senior J.J. Francis. Mr. Francis has been crowned as the 2010 Mr. ORR. He had competed with several other senior boys in the Mr. ORR pageant on Thursday, April 15. Second-place in the pageant went to Terrell Soares.

The English department of Old Rochester Regional is currently sponsoring its annual student poetry contest in celebration of Poetry Month, which is April. Each student is allowed to submit up to three original poems. The poems can be written in any form – free verse, haikus, and sonnets are examples of the many



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Students should be aware that a ring was found in the school and turned in to Mr. Parker's office. The owner needs to stop by the office and successfully describe the ring to regain possession of it.

Seniors are once again reminded to bring their college acceptance letters to the guidance office. The recipients of those letters will be acknowledged during Senior Awards Night along with the recipients of the school's many illustrious awards.

While on the topic of the Old Rochester Regional seniors, the school has released the tentative dates for the end of the year. The Senior prom is scheduled for June 1, and it will take place at Lake Pearl in Wrentham. Senior Awards Night is scheduled for two days later, on June 3. The Senior Assembly, which the whole school attends, is



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scheduled for June 3 but the time has not yet been chosen. Graduation is slated for 1:00 pm on June 5.

The underclassmen finals will begin at the end of the week after graduation. They will start on June 11 and run until June 17. A tentative schedule has been placed on the school calendar online, but more detailed information about the finals week attendance policy and schedule will be sent home with students sometime in May.

Students, having just returned from April vacation, may be feeling overwhelmed now that school – and lots of homework – has resumed. Do not despair, though! There is only one term left, and under twenty days of each day (twenty days of even, and twenty days of odd). The last few weeks of school are always relaxed,

as well, since students are preparing for finals and turning in their books. Summer will arrive quickly enough!

Sport Shorts

By Yulia Motta

The April vacation has come and gone, but our spring athletes didn't get much of a break.

After losing two games in a row, the **Old Rochester Boys Baseball** team was able to bounce back with a great victory over Seekonk. **Tim Dunn**, a junior pitcher, made his varsity debut, by pitching in 4 2/3 innings. During his time at the plate, Dunn gave up only three earned runs. During the sixth inning, the Bulldogs were down 5-3, but thanks to **Nick Filloramo** and his four strike outs, including two at the bottom of the seventh inning, the Bulldogs were able to come back. They scored four hits in a row against the Seekonk and secured their fourth victory of 7-6. The Bulldogs are hoping to keep the momentum going and get a spot in the post season.

The **Old Rochester Softball** team, however, is a whole different story. The Lady Bulldogs have only won one game this season and lost 5, including two to the Bishop Stang Spartans. Ladies are hoping to put the pieces together and finish the season with a respectable record.

The **Old Rochester Boys and Girls Tennis** teams are having another remarkable season. Despite having four out of their top nine players missing, the

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Lady Bulldogs still managed to beat Dartmouth 4-1 and keep their season perfect at 9-0, 6-0 in the SCC. The boys swept the three singles and defeated Dartmouth 4-1. Even though the boys are 8-1, their SCC record remains perfect at 7-0. The boys are hoping that once **Alex Matathia's** broken arm is healed, they can be whole again and continue with their winning ways.

The **Old Colony Girls Softball** team also had a good break. The Lady Cougars defeated Bristol-Plymouth 12-5 and most of the thanks goes to the Cougars' pitcher **Arielle Bernier**. Arielle pitched a four hitter, while scoring four runs and two triples. Coming to her aid were **Alex Gordon** and **Angela DeCosta**, who also shined at the bat.

The **Old Colony Baseball** team, however, seemed to be in a little slump. The boys lost two games in a row to West Bridgewater and one again this past Monday to Bishop Connolly. The boys are hoping to get out of this slump quickly if they want to see the postseason this year.

It seems as if spring athletics just started, but they are nearly half over. The senior athletes have only a little bit over two weeks left, during which they are hoping to make significant contributions to their teams' success, and some are even hoping to catch the eye of a college scout and take their skills beyond high school fields. So as the athletes' games are numbered, please come out and show your support as they try to wrap up another great season and another school year.

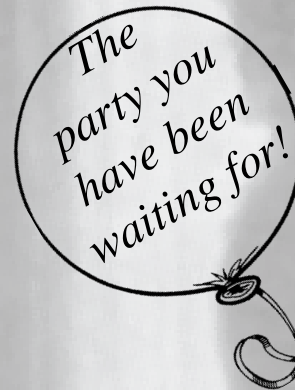
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By Mark Sollauer

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I feel like a bull in a ring, head down, blowing hot air out my nostrils, heading toward the Matador. I swing my left arm forward and I reach out as far as I can, my glove outstretched, barely attached to my hand but perfectly placed and capable of stopping the speedy prey as it tries to evade my deadly grasp. My body is in slow motion still but I'm flying – literally flying – my body is outstretched and three feet above the dust. I turn my head toward home plate and the direction of the ball.

The ball bolts past the pitcher's right side just above his hip and is coming at me. I am almost there – the glove slides down the length of my sweat-covered hand and is out on my fingers. I land with a heavy thud, a few feet from second base. I look downward, sweat drips into my eye and I wipe it away with my glove. I feel the brick dust grate against my eyelid. My face is now smeared with red dirt. I spit dirt from my mouth and lean forward, placing my hand down for balance and right myself and walk back to my post at the deep end of the infield between second and third base. As I walk back to position, I see Tom at third base, and shrug my shoulders, giving him the universal "Oh Well..."

"Nice hustle," he says. I roll my eyes and say: "Yeah... thanks."

I know better than to dwell on plays like that in the field, but sometimes it's hard to let go. I knew if I had been 1% more decisive I would have stopped that ball. I looked up into the sky. The sun was warm on my face, and with my eyes closed, it was bright and white. I reach up with my glove and cover my mouth. I inhale deeply. The smell of the glove leather and the sweat and the brick dust shoot me back in time. Suddenly, I am not 25-years-old standing on a perfectly manicured field.

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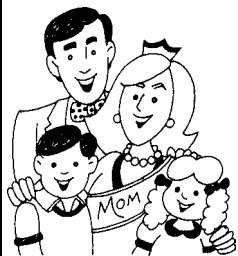
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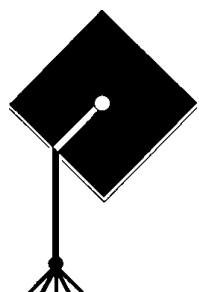


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I look up and the pitch comes toward me. The pitcher manages to hit my bat with the ball as opposed to me hitting the ball with the bat and it rolls out toward second base. I run hard, digging my toes in as I try to see the baseline below the helmet flopping around my head. The bill drops down and I can only see the chalk baseline and the pale gray dirt below my feet. I reach the base and see the first baseman's leg and his foot on the bag. I hear the pop of the ball into his glove.

As I walk back into the dugout I drop the helmet onto the ground with the others and look for my hat and glove. I find a spot to sit down. Nobody says anything. It's so hot and nobody wants to talk. I sit alone and look behind me. My dad is there, he looks and gives me a small grin and says, "Nice hustle kiddo. That was a shot".

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forward. I look down and swing my legs slowly, my cleats just above the ground as they glide back and forth. I feel okay now.

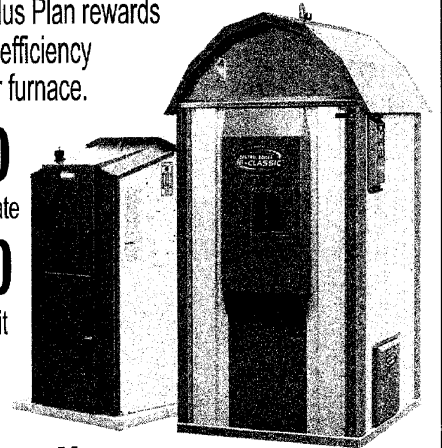
I move my gaze upward from the ground and I am 25 again. I look around at the rest of the team. They have all been playing as long as me, since we were six years old. Many of these guys have played professional ball. Several played in the Majors. Some just for a game. Some for a full season or two. Some were so close to the dream and had it pulled away because of an untimely injury. Some couldn't handle the stress and the pressure. I glanced around the infield and we were all standing, poised, looking at home plate, waiting for the pitch. We all look like little kids. This game is a constant. It never changes. Once you learn the basics of the game, you can spend 30 years honing skills and perfecting the particulars of your swing or your position play, but the game is a constant. There is a comfort that comes from that.

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we are now soliciting nominations for our sixteenth annual "Wanderer Keel Awards." The yearly community service honor – which is presented to one resident from each of the three central towns in our circulation area – will be announced in our May 27, 2010 issue and each winner will be the subject of a short feature highlighting their contributions to the local community. But *The Wanderer* needs your help in selecting these "unsung heroes."

The requirements are simple. Nominees must be legal residents of Mattapoisett, Marion, or Rochester (at least five years), and must have contributed in some way to the overall benefit of the community – either directly to town residents, or indirectly through efforts in promoting town activities, or working to keep the wheels of local government well-oiled. The only restriction is that these persons cannot benefit from their efforts in any other way – either financially or politically (hence, sitting elected officials are not eligible).

In doing this, we hope to applaud those who are rarely recognized for their countless hours of service and focus on the many people "behind the scenes" who remain otherwise anonymous but provide crucial support to many town functions. Like the keel of a ship, which keeps the vessel from capsizing, the recipients of the Annual *Wanderer* Keel Award will be recognized for their stalwart efforts in keeping the community on an "even keel."

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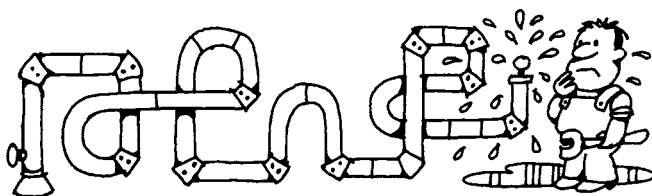
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number of recommended nominees, along with a brief description of their key contributions to the community and why you feel they are deserving of this honor to: Keel Award, *The Wanderer*, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

The deadline for nominations is Thursday, **May 20, 2010** at 3:00 pm. Selected recipients will be contacted by telephone on Tuesday, May 25 prior to being announced in the May 27 issue.

Letters to the Editor

The views expressed in the "Letters to the Editor" column are not necessarily those of The Wanderer, its staff or advertisers. The Wanderer will gladly accept any and all correspondence relating to timely and pertinent issues in the great Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester area, provided they include the author's name, address and phone number for verification. We cannot publish anonymous, unsigned or unconfirmed submissions. The Wanderer reserves the right to edit, condense and otherwise alter submissions for purposes of clarity and/or spacing considerations. The Wanderer also reserves the right to deny publication of any submitted correspondence.

To the Editor:

Over the past week, several area communities that border Rochester have been experiencing vehicle break-ins during the night. Electronic items, including

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GPS units, have been stolen from these vehicles.

On the morning of April 26, the Rochester Police Department received two reports of vehicles being broken into overnight in the north part of Rochester with items being stolen from these vehicles.

Residents are reminded to lock up vehicles overnight, keep valuables and electronic items such as GPS, cell phones, and iPods out of sight, and to immediately report any suspicious vehicles or persons to the police department.

Residents are also encouraged to file reports of any vehicle break-ins that occur even if nothing is stolen. This will aid the department in tracking down suspects faster.

Chief Paul Magee

Rochester Police Department

To the Editor:

The Mattapoisett Lions Club sponsored the annual Senior Dinner last Saturday at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. As a first time volunteer for this

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event I had no idea what to expect and was absolutely amazed at what was accomplished.

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Everyone was so appreciative of the volunteers' efforts and the Mattapoisett Lions Club for being such gracious hosts, but much of this recognition should go to the real heroes of the day. Earlier planning aside, the real work began at 6:30 that morning when Joe and Janet Rego prepared the birds for the oven, started the stuffing, and got the pies ready. Many other volunteers were on hand to help as well. Shortly after the serving lines were set it was apparent that we were rather short-handed. After a brief moment of panic we all rolled up our sleeves and in about 20 minutes plated and served around 100 turkey dinners complete with stuffing, mashed potatoes, green beans, gravy, with a finale of warm apple pie to top it all off. For those unable to join the festivities, we packaged about 20 more meals to go. The big smiles and full



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stomachs made the event well worth the effort.

This is one of the many events the Mattapoisett Lions Club hosts for the enjoyment of the town's citizens. The motto of Lions Club International is "We Serve," and we certainly did that Saturday afternoon! To learn more about the Mattapoisett Lions club visit www.MattapoisettLionsClub.org. Become a member and make a difference in your community.

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Obituaries



Jacquelyn Weber (Goodale) Goodenough, 83, of Mattapoisett died Friday April 23, 2010 at Tobey Hospital in Wareham. Born in Hartford, Connecticut, daughter of Percy B. and Agnes Weber Goodale of Newington and Enfield Connecticut, she had lived in Mattapoisett for 50 years.

She was a graduate of both the Wells and Geary Schools of Drama in Connecticut and as a young woman enjoyed performing on stage. Jackie was active in business and community activities. She was the manager of Brooks Fashion and assistant manager of Peerless Department Store in North Dartmouth before becoming owner and manager of Odyssey Travel, Inc., in Mattapoisett.

She was a member of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church where she served as Deacon, Sunday School teacher, and Director of Christian Education. For many years, she served as a leader of the Brownie Scouts and Dollars for Scholars. She was a member of the Mattapoisett Women's Club and the Maconchu Club. Jackie loved her family, living by the sea, traveling and discovering new things, reading, gardening, and working with children.

She was predeceased by her husband of 60 years, David S. Goodenough. Survivors include her children, Marsha Lee and Ron Steckbauer of California, Kriselyn Brammer and Russ Buckley of Mattapoisett, and David Jonathan and Dianne Goodenough of Maine, six grandchildren, Julianne Milburn, Jonathan Lorraine, Shaundra Goding, Jordan Brammer, Adam Goodenough, and Ryan Goodenough, and six great-grandchildren. She leaves one sister, Joyce Dudgeon of South Yarmouth. She was the sister of the late Lee Goodale and the late Albert Goodale.

Relatives and friends are invited to greet the family on Saturday May 1, 2010 between 10:00 and 11:30AM at the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett, followed by a memorial service at 12 Noon at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. Burial in Cushing Cemetery will be private. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the Mattapoisett Congregational Church, P.O. Box 284, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Daniel Aquilino, 86, of Boston, Marion and formerly of Weston, on April 18, 2010. He proudly served with the US Army as a Staff Sergeant in Africa and Europe during World War II, graduated Northeastern University with High Honors in 1949, and was a retired Executive Vice President of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston.

Son of the late Michele and Anna (Bruno) Aquilino of Italy and Needham. Beloved husband of the late Theresa H. (Barberio). Loving father of Donna L. Fraser of Medway, Daniel C. of Upton, and Michael D. and his wife, Angela of Boston. Loving brother of Dorothy M. Cosolito of Marl-

borough, Cherished grandfather of Angelica M. Aquilino of Boston, Christina Aquilino of Mendon, Nathaniel Aquilino and his wife Paula of Bellingham, David Fraser and his wife Jane of Medway, Michael Fraser and his wife Irene of Natick, and Stephen Fraser of Sandwich. He is survived by 5 great grandchildren. He is also survived by in-laws Arthur and Mary Rossi of Weston, Salvatore, Joanne Scarpato of Newton, the late Dorothy Barberio of Newton and many nieces and nephews. Former father-in-law of Cheryl Aquilino.

Burial was private. Arrangements by Boston Harbor-side Home J.S. Waterman & Son-Waring-Langone

Roland E. Rouillier, 80, of Acushnet, passed away on Saturday, April 10, 2010, at Tobey Hospital after a long illness. He was the husband of the late Claire (Levesque) Rouillier, they had been married 54 years; and son of the late Hector and Lilliane (Poitras) Rouillier.

He was born in New Bedford and lived in Acushnet and in New Hampshire and returned to Acushnet in 2007. He served in the US Army during the Korean War. He was formerly employed as a Doughnut Packer for My Bread Baking for 28 years and retired as a custodian for the Acushnet School Department.

Survivors include his daughter, Cecile Fiano and her husband, Robert of Acushnet; two sons, Denis R. Rouillier of Fall River and Marc A. Rouillier and his wife, Cindy of Rochester; three grandchildren, Sarah Lombard, Jordan and Jae Rouillier; and a sister, Irene Morse of New Hampshire.

In accordance with his wishes, he was cremated. Burial of his remains will be private. Arrangements by Rock Funeral Home.

Barbara H. Coville, 82, of South Paris, died Sunday, April 18, 2010 at the Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris.

She was born in Middleborough, MA on January 30, 1928 to Henry and Helen (Barnes) Hall. She married Paul Coville on March 8, 1953.

Barbara was a graduate of Bridgewater State College and taught first grade for over forty two years. She enjoyed being around and helping small children. Her first year of teaching was in Mechanic Falls, Maine. She liked to go for long rides and eating out. Enjoyed holidays with family, relatives, and friends. She enjoyed craft fairs and food fairs. She made several friends with the people that she met at these events. She loved pets, especially cats. She always had one to three cats in the house.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years Paul Coville of South Paris; sister Natalie Fearing of Wareham, MA; brother Donald Hall of Wareham, MA; cousin Jon Kendrick and wife Suzanne of Oxford; nephew Benjamin Fearing of Rochester, MA; brother-in-law Peter Coville and wife Nancy of Mattapoisett, MA. Predeceased by her beloved son David Coville in 2009.

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RHS Celebrates Preservation Week

The first annual American Library Association Preservation Week will be **May 9-15, 2010**. President Frances Florindo of the Rochester Historical Society (RHS) has announced that the Society will be participating in Preservation Week by continuing to preserve the history of the Town of Rochester through their collections housed at the Society's Museum at 355 County Road, East Rochester. Over the 41 years that the Society has been in existence, there have been many generous donations of artifacts, historical photographs and records from people interested in the preservation of Rochester history. This year, the Society was given a large collection of vintage clothing and hats by the Margaret Hall family of Rochester. Donation checks can be mailed to the Rochester Historical Society, PO Box 171, Rochester, MA 02770.

At the monthly Society meeting on **May 19**, Lynda Ames will show another method of preserving the past when she presents a program entitled "Plymouth County's 'Crime of the Year'". She will tell the tale of an 1885 South Wareham murder, which involved residents, businesses and locations in five local towns. The meeting is at 7:00 pm in the East Rochester Church/Museum at 355 County Road. The public is invited.

Also, speaking of preservation, Linda Brookfield of Carver will perform a Benefit Organ Concert on **May 23** at 3:00 pm at the museum to raise funds to do necessary repairs and begin restoration of the 1893 Vocation organ, which was donated to the church in 1932 by Mr. and Mrs. Almon Stone of Wareham. Tickets for the concert are \$10.00 and may be purchased by calling 508-295-9588 or 508-763-2724. Following the concert, a light Sunday supper will be served.

Members have been busy sprucing up the Museum and grounds and preparing new displays for the **June 6** Open House. The Museum will be open Sundays from 1:00 to 3:00 pm from June through August.

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The family would like to thank Androscoggin Home Health Care Staff at Market Square Health Care Center and Beacon Hospice Inc. for all their compassion shown toward Barbara while in their care.

Arrangements under the care of Oxford Hills Funeral Services, 1037 Main St. Rte. 26, Oxford, ME. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillsfuneralservices.com.

David Barnes Stone, 82, of Marion, died peacefully after a brief illness on Apr. 12, 2010 at Mass. General Hospital. He was the husband of Margot (Davenport) Stone.

A public memorial service will be held at 11:30 am on Saturday, May 8th at Great Hill, Delano Road, Marion, Massachusetts.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers gifts be directed to the David B. Stone Fund at the New England Aquarium (neaq.org, The New England Aquarium, Central Wharf, Boston, MA 02110-3399, 617-973-5200) and the David B. Stone Fund for the Beautification of Marion Parks at the Sippican Lands Trust (sippicanlandstrust.org, 354 Front Street, Marion, MA 02738, 508-748-3080).

Arrangements by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Wareham. To leave a message of condolence, please visit: www.ccgfuneralhome.com

Charles N. Goddu, 60, of New Bedford died Monday April 19, 2010 at Boston Medical Center following a brief illness. He was the father of Paul C. Goddu and Ryan C. Goddu, and son of the late Paul and Pauline Goddu. He also leaves a sister, Jocelyn Demakis-daLuz and husband Daniel of Mattapoisett, a brother Marc Goddu and wife Marlene of Pawley's Island, South Carolina, and a sister Nina Malone and husband, Michael of Forestdale MA, his former wife, Cynthia (Maurice) Cabral of New Bedford, and several nieces and nephews and grand-nieces and grand-nephews.

Chuck was employed most of his life by Polaroid Corporation and later by the New Bedford School Department.

Chuck was an avid golfer and sports fan, especially of the Boston Red Sox and all New England sports teams. During the Vietnam War, he served in the U.S. Navy. He enjoyed family gatherings and was a devoted father, brother, and uncle. He will be sorely missed by everyone who knew him and loved him.

There will be a memorial visitation on Saturday May 8, 2010 from 11AM to 2 PM at Saunders Dwyer Home for Funerals, 495 Park St., New Bedford, with a celebration of his life immediately following at Reservation Golf Club in Mattapoisett. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Edward B. "Woody" Wood, 90, of New Bedford, passed away peacefully at home, Friday, April 23, 2010, after a period of declining health. He was the husband of Marion E. (Smithson) Wood, with whom he would have celebrated

sixty-seven years of marriage this June. Born in New Bedford, the son of the late Benjamin D. and the late Jennie (Taber) Wood, he was a lifelong resident of the city and member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

A 1938 graduate of New Bedford High School, Woody served in the U. S. Army during WWII as a Tech Sergeant. Upon his return from the service, he entered and graduated from the New Bedford Institute of Technology in 1950. Mr. Wood then worked as a chemical engineer for thirty-two years at the Arkwright Finishing Company in Fall River until his retirement in 1982.

He was an avid golfer who enjoyed working in his yard, around the home, and listening to "Big Band" music, but most of all he enjoyed spending time with his family.

In addition to his beloved wife, Woody is survived by three daughters, Sharon Dean and her husband Jack of Mattapoisett, Susan Giammalvo and her husband Paul, and Sally Avery and her husband Fred, all of Dartmouth; a son-in-law, Bruce Taylor of Taunton; nine grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Mr. Wood was the father of the late Stacey Taylor, the grandfather of the late Meredith Dean and the brother of the late Clinton Ledoux and Winifred Feeney.

Arrangements by The Donaghy Funeral Home, 465 County Street, New Bedford. To light a candle or sign the guest book, please log on to www.hathawayfunerals.com. Memorial donations may be made to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 50267, New Bedford, MA 02745; and/or Southcoast Home Care, 200 Mill Rd., Fairhaven, MA 02719.

Leslie "Leo" P. Evangelho, 89, of Rochester, passed away on Monday, April 26, 2010, at St. Luke's Hospital, after a period of declining health. He was the husband of the late Dorothy M. (Brocklehurst) Evangelho and son of the late Francisco and Jacintho (Mello) Evangelho.

He was born in New Bedford and lived the past 32 years in Rochester. He was formerly employed by Quincy Navy Yard as a welder and retired from Goodyear Rubber.

He was a member of the Rochester Seniors. In his leisure time he enjoyed camping and square dancing, but most of all he loved being with his family and grandchildren.

Survivors include his two sons, James L. Evangelho and his wife, Gail of Fairhaven and Steven F. Evangelho and his wife, Joyce of Dartmouth; two daughters, Dorothy E. Boudreaux and her husband, Paul of Rochester and Wendy A. Rose of Dartmouth; eight grandchildren, Jamie Lynn Levesque and her husband, Stephen, Lee Ann and Emeline Evangelho, Jason and Lauren Methia, Aimee Oteri and her husband, Rob, Alysson Dinsmore and Mackenzie Rose; three great-grandchildren; his companion of eight years, Shirley Wojtunik; his sister, Geraldine Savage and her husband, Gene of New Bedford; several nieces and nephews. He was the brother of the late Frank Evangelho, Laura Martin and Lillian Camara.

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The Elks of Wareham Lodge No 1548 sponsors the Elks Student of the Month and Student of the Year Awards for students enrolled in local area high schools. The criteria used in nominating a student includes a student who excels in scholarship, citizenship, performing arts, fine arts, hobbies, athletics, church, school, club and community service, industry and farming.

The Elks congratulate senior, **Kelsey Callahan**, for being selected by the ORRHS faculty and staff for the month of April and senior, **Lauren O'Brien** selected for the month of May.

Marion Participates in Dispatch Study

From a SRPEDD Press Release

Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD) is in the process of submitting a grant application and coordinating an effort to study the feasibility of regionalizing 911 dispatch centers. Over a dozen communities in southeastern Massachusetts have already agreed to participate in this study through a State grant.

Currently, each community has their own autonomous public safety dispatch center and some have separate dispatch centers for police, fire and EMS services. The foremost goal of this study will be to investigate ways to enhance public safety through improved efficiency. If awarded, the State grant will cover the cost of the

feasibility study and avoid additional burden on local budgets.

The participating communities and the campus security department of a local university are joining together through the services of SRPEDD to submit this grant application. All participating communities have agreed that no changes in their operations will be made until the non-binding study is complete and has been evaluated by each community. Ross Perry, a Municipal Management Specialist with SRPEDD said the input from the represented municipal governments and public safety departments will be used to direct the investigative work of the consultant hired for this project. "It is important that the feasibility study look at the specific opportunities within each community and develop a recommendation that addresses their public safety requirements."

The Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department recently announced its Fiscal 2011 Regional Public Safety Answering Point and Regional Emergency Communication Center Development Grant application program.

The current list of participating communities includes: Acushnet, Berkley, Dartmouth, Dighton, Easton, Fairhaven, Fall River, Freetown, Lakeville, Mansfield, Marion, New Bedford, Raynham, Seekonk, Swansea, and UMass-Dartmouth. Mr. Perry stated that the Feasibility Study Committee will be accepting additional towns in the grant application. However, the deadline for the grant

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Bedford, MA. Donations may be made in his memory to American Cancer Society, 538 Preston St. — PO Box 1004, Meriden, CT 06450.

Timothy P. Lapinski, 47, of Easthampton, MA died at his camp in Heath on April 22, 2010.

He was born in Holyoke, Dec. 4, 1962, the son of Dawn Tauscher Lapinski and the late Alexander Lapinski.

He attended Easthampton schools and graduated from Easthampton High School Class of 1980. He was post-graduate at Smith Vocational School of Northampton in the machine department. He had owned and operated Subway sandwich shops in Westfield and Florence.

Tim was an avid woodworker and took pride in all of the projects he made for his friends and family. He recently took up snowboarding, which he became very skilled at and took the time to do any chance he could. He shared his love of dirt biking with his son Chad. He enjoyed fishing with his children, camping, and vacationing in Maine with his family. He loved everything outdoors and going to his camp in Heath. He also loved to Quad with his friends.

He was a proud veteran of Desert Shield in the U.S. Air Force and was discharged in 2001 as a tech sergeant. He was currently employed by Kollmorgen Corp. of Northampton. He was a member of the American Legion Dalton Lavalley Post 224 in Easthampton and the Easthampton Congregational Church.

Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, Kristi Ainslie Lapinski, and was the proud father of two sons, Chad Alexander Lapinski and Jarrett Evan Lapinski, and one daughter, Reagan Jayde Lapinski, all of Easthampton; one brother, Alexander Lapinski Jr. of Chesterfield; and two sisters, Lillian M. Goebel of Warwick, R.I., and Susan L. Lapinski of Easthampton. He was a foster parent for over 78 children. Tim was a very loving father and touched the lives of all who knew him.

Arrangements by the Mitchell Funeral Home, 15 Park St., Easthampton, MA. Gifts in his memory may be given to the Timothy Lapinski Children's Educational Fund, c/o Easthampton Savings Bank, 36 Main St., Easthampton, MA 01027

LOCAL CABLE PROGRAMMING



PUBLIC ACCESS

Comcast Channel 9

Verizon Channel 36

Sunday May 2, 2010

6:30 AM - Words of Peace
7:00 AM - Second Coming Church
8:00 AM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:30 AM - The First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM - Physician Focus
11:30 AM - White House Chronicles
12:30 PM - The Tri-Town Business Association Show
2:00 PM - Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM - The First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
6:30 PM - New England Job Show
7:30 PM - The Marion Art Center
8:00 PM - The Sippican Historical Society Presents
9:30 PM - ORCTV Community Announcements
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Monday May 3, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:30 AM - Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM - Community Arts in Action
10:30 AM - Second Act
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
3:00 PM - Words of Peace
4:00 PM - Explore
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
7:30 PM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
8:00 PM - Sharing Miracles
8:30 PM - Physician's Focus

9:00 PM - New England Job Show

9:30 PM - Around BCC

10:00 PM - Smart Boating

10:30 PM - Life Matters

Midnight - Midnight Movie

Tuesday May 4, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Graceful Aging
9:30 AM - ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
10:30 AM - The Tri-Town Business Association Show
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
1:30 PM - The Wanderer Presents
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
3:00 PM - ORCTV Community Announcements

4:00 PM - Free Minds TV
4:30 PM - Inside ORCTV
5:00 PM - The Harpoon Harmonizers
6:00 PM - The Red Cross - Preparing for a Disaster
7:00 PM - Senior Scene
7:30 PM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
8:00 PM - Inside ORCTV
8:30 PM - The Tri-Town Business Association Show
9:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
Midnight - Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday May 5, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM - The Dr. Is In
10:00 AM - Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise

2:30 PM - Senior Stretch

3:00 PM - NASA 360

4:00 PM - Midweek Politics with David Pakman

5:00 PM - Gallery Talk - A Presentation of the Marion Art Center

5:30 PM - Second Act TV

6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym

7:00 PM - White House Chronicle

7:30 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show

8:00 PM - Midweek Politics with David Pakman

9:00 PM - The Harpoon Harmonizers

10:30 PM - Life Matters

11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes

11:30 PM - The Big Picture

1:30 AM - Sci-Fi Journal

Thursday May 6, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Midweek Politics with David Pakman
10:00 AM - Kids a Cookin'
10:30 AM - Homefront
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
5:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
6:30 PM - Inside ORCTV
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Music
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Midnight Mausoleum

Friday May 7, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle

9:00 AM - Gardening Rhythms

9:30 AM - Fox Robbins Business Show

10:00 AM - Cooking With Marie

10:30 AM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell

11:00 AM - Senior Stretch

11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle

Noon - Midday Movie

2:00 PM - Jazzercise

2:30 PM - Senior Stretch

5:00 PM - Community Arts in Action

6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym

7:00 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show

7:30 PM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell

8:00 PM - Homefront

8:30 PM - The Tri-Town Business Association Show

9:00 PM - The Marion Art Center

9:30 PM - New England Job Show

10:00 PM - Free Minds TV

11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes

Midnight - Friday Night Drive-In Theater

Midnight Movies

Saturday May 8, 2009

8:00 AM - Classic Cartoon Festival
10:30 AM - NASA 360
11:00 AM - Expedition New England
11:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
Noon - Inside ORCTV
12:30 PM - Around BCC
1:30 PM - The Harpoon Harmonizers
3:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Music
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Saturday Fright Special

MARION GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 39

Daily Schedule

8:30 AM - Latest School Committee Meeting
11:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
2:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Latest School Committee Meeting
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:15 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 40

Daily Schedule

9:00 AM - Latest School Committee Meeting
10:30 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:30 PM - Latest School Committee Meeting
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL

Comcast Channel 18

Verizon Channel 37

Daily Schedule

8:45 AM - Life After ORR
9:20 AM - Being Different Puppet Show
9:30 PM - Bulldog TV
11:00 AM - ORRHS Night of Jazz Concert
12:30 PM - ORRHS Boys Basketball
1:00 PM - Life After ORR
1:30 PM - Bulldog TV
2:00 PM - ORRHS - TV Production 2010 'How To' Class Projects
5:00 PM - Life After ORR
6:50 PM - ORRHS Night of Jazz Concert
8:00 PM - ORRHS - TV Production 2010 'How To' Class Projects
10:00 PM - ORRHS Winter Blues Film Festival

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submission is May 21, 2010 and interested towns should contact him as soon as possible to be included.

"This is a great opportunity for us to explore our options and investigate inter-discipline and inter-jurisdictional changes that will improve public safety," said Acushnet Police Chief Michael Alves who is cooperating with the study.

ORRHS Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following students for making Old Rochester Regional High School's honor rolls.

Highest Honor Roll: Grade 9 – Meagan Bell, Adam Costa, Edward Costa, Douglas Gifford, Abigail Hiller, Rebecca Johnson, Kristin Nascimento, Nicholas Pacheco. **Grade 10** – Madison Costa, Sara DeMello, Martha Nakashian, Rachael Reints, Anne Smith. **Grade 11** – Emily Bungert, Dana Dourdeville, Sofia Gabriel, Alexander Matathia, Johanna O'Day, Emily Roseman. **Grade 12** – Jenna Clark, Erica Janik, Sara Kelley.

High Honor Roll: Grade 9 – Michael Bliss, Hannah Bouvette, Grady Branagan, James Braza, Drew Cunningham, Nicholas Johnson, Luke Mattar, Alexander Milde, Corey Miranda, Jacob Rioux, Katherine Wilbur. **Grade 10** – Laura Bichajian, Nathan Houston, Maegan Kiernan, Megan Merlo, Michael Stellato. **Grade 11** – Abigail Duncan, Jerelle Jesse. **Grade 12** – Caitlin Barker, Amanda Boulay, Natasha Meere.

Honor Roll: Grade 9 – Taylor Aguiar, Darnessa

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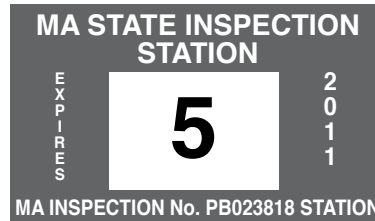
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MOVIE REVIEW

Dead Like Me

By Rob Gonsalves
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Survival of the Dead. Starring Alan van Sprang and Kenneth Welsh. Directed by George A. Romero. Running time: 90 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

When George A. Romero makes a zombie movie, it's never just about zombies. *Night of the Living Dead* (1968) was about racial and generational tension. *Dawn of the Dead* (1978) was about consumerism. *Day of the Dead* (1985) was about the clash between science and the military. *Land of the Dead* (2005) was about haves vs. have-nots. *Diary of the Dead* (2007) was about post-Katrina cynicism and the age of YouTube. *Survival of the Dead*, Romero's latest zombie effort (which becomes available on video-on-demand April 30), seems to be about the Troubles in Ireland — or, at least, it uses them as a symptom of how certain people will always irrationally hate certain other people. It might as plausibly be about divided America in the era of Obama, Palin, and tea parties.

Don't you worry, though: flesh is still eaten, and zombies still get plugged in the head (the only way to kill them). I note with some surprise that *Survival* is rated R, but is about as gruesome as *Dawn of the Dead*, whose head-splattering and gut-munching so offended the MPAA in 1978 that it had to go out unrated. Times have changed, I guess. The addition of computer-generated effects also gives us such images as a row of still-gnashing zombie heads on pikes, as well as death by fire extinguisher. Romero certainly hasn't lost his appetite for destruction.

In *Diary of the Dead*, a few rogue National Guard soldiers flagged down the protagonists and stole their supplies; they got just a few minutes of screen time, but here they graduate to protagonists themselves. Led by the bitter Sarge "Nicotine" Crocket (Alan van Sprang), they decide to head for an island off of Delaware that promises safety from the zombie hordes. Turns out they've been lured there by Patrick O'Flynn (Kenneth Welsh), who's been exiled from the island. O'Flynn believes there's



no cure for a zombie except a bullet in the brain. His adversary, Seamus Muldoon (Richard Fitzpatrick), believes God will send a cure someday, and in the meantime it's best to keep one's undead family close to home, albeit in chains.

Actually, this could also be a pro-choice vs. pro-life allegory. Or one about the death-penalty debate, or, really, any intractable issue that boils down to faith vs. reason. The O'Flynn and Muldoon clans have feuded for decades, and here their antagonism is based in ideology, not blood. Romero also turns the film into a western, with men in cowboy hats facing off, while the military (including a lesbian and a teenager along for the ride) do their best to stay in one piece. A horse represents possible civilization: Muldoon thinks that if zombies can develop a taste for something other than human flesh — such as a stallion trapped in a pen with a shambling zombie who used to ride it — the nightmare may end.

Except it never does. *Diary of the Dead* ended with a final shot that seemed to bring the entire movie into relevant focus, and so does *Survival*; it's as if Romero came up with these images and then wrote the scripts just to preface them. Romero isn't limited to a couple of shaky-cams this time the way he was in *Diary*, so the movie benefits from his usual whiplash editing (by Michael Doherty), and for the second time (after *Land of the Dead*) he shoots in crisp, super-wide 'scope. I've enjoyed each of Romero's *Dead* films — even the problematic *Day of the Dead* has its charms — and *Survival* proves again that Romero hasn't lost his touch and hasn't run out of things to say.

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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Above & Left: Do you know the difference between a bug and an insect? Are you well-versed in the parts of an insect – the head, thorax and abdomen? It was all things bugs when a Mad Scientist came to the Plumb Library in Rochester on April 22, 2010. Over a dozen children enjoyed the April vacation bug demonstration with hands-on activities and learning fun. Photo by Anne O'Brien-Kakley.



Above: The Tri-Town Mariner U13 girls' soccer team finished an undefeated indoor season by winning the U14 Indoor Championship at Bridgewater against teams from all over the South Shore. Top Row: Syd Blanchard, Emily Beaulieu, Bailey Truesdale, Nicole Gifford, Brittany Santos, Morgan Browning. Bottom Row: Sam Blanchard, Kate Martin, Camille Filloramo, Kaleigh Goulart, Arden Goguen, Anne Martin. Not Shown: Hannah Abrantes, Chloe Riley, Caroline Downey. Photo courtesy of John Browning.



Above: This monotype by Virginia Lovejoy Allyn is just one of the pieces that will be featured in a retrospective exhibition at Marion Art Center from May 7 - June 9. For details, call the Marion Art Center at 508-748-1266. Photo courtesy of Wendy Bistrup.



Above: At an April 20, 2010 event, the Mattapoisett Free Public Library held a special "thank you" appreciation event for all the volunteers that make the town library so special. Photo courtesy of Susan Pizzolato.

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conduct its next monthly meeting on Tuesday, **May 4, 2010** at 7:00 pm at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion. New members welcome.

Rochester Land Trust Plans Bird Walk

The Rochester Land Trust will be hosting a Bird Walk on Saturday, **May 8** at 7:00 am. Participants are to park at 670 Neck Road (the corner of Neck Road and North Avenue). The walk will then proceed onto New Bedford Waterworks property where we will search for both local and migrating birds. Wear footwear that can withstand possible wet conditions, bring bug spray, binoculars, and due to our shy quarry, no dogs please. The trails are not suitable for strollers, so please older

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TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights April 18-April 24

- Hill St – Transport
- Holly Rd – Suspicious motor vehicle
- Route 195 W – DMV
- Point Rd – Disturbance/arrest
- Bayview Rd – Disturbance/family/PC
- Creek Rd – Motor vehicle stop
- Bullivant Farm Rd – Burglar alarm
- Wareham Rd – Suspicious activity
- Mill St – Medical emergency
- Converse Rd – Medical emergency
- Old Indian Trl – Animal complaint
- Wareham Rd – Officer wanted
- Jenna Dr – General service
- Quail's Crossing Rd – Paper service
- Oakdale Ave – Larceny/past
- Pleasant St – Annoying phone class
- Front St – Animal complaint
- County Rd – MVA/property
- Delano Rd – Burglar alarm
- Clark St – Message delivery
- Water St – Parking violation
- Spring St – Fraud
- Delano Rd – Animal complaint
- Jenney Ln – Burglar alarm
- Pine Hill Ln – General service
- South St – Fire alarm
- Front St – Parking violations
- Converse Rd – Larceny/past
- Rebecca Dr – Burglar alarm
- Cottage St – MVA/property

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights April 18-April 24

- Auccot Rd – Disabled MV
- Tupola Ln – Animal control
- Water St – Property lost
- Homestead Ct – Officer wanted
- North St – General service
- Selha Way – General service
- Brandt Island Rd – MV violations
- Antassawomack Rd – Animal control
- North St – Suspicious person
- Mechanic St – Ambulance request
- Beacon St – Health/welfare
- Jane Ln – Disabled MV
- County Rd – Property found
- Acushnet Rd – Alarm, burglar
- Harbor HB Rd – General service
- Industrial Dr – Suspicious persons
- Justin Ave – Health/welfare
- Rock St – Ambulance request
- North St – MV violations
- Ocean Dr – Suspicious persons
- Holly Wood Dr – Fire, other
- Depot St – MV violations
- Wildwood Terr – Disturbance
- Acushnet Rd – Suicide attempt
- Mechanic St – Alarm, fire
- County Rd – 209A order
- Industrial Dr – Ambulance request
- County Rd – Vandalism
- Tinkham Ln – Assist other agency
- Pinehurst Ave – 209A order issued

ROCHESTER

Log highlights April 18-April 14

- Hartley Rd – Suspicious MV
- Neck Rd – Fire, other
- Coombs Rd – Serve warrant
- North Ave – Serve warrant
- County Rd – Serve warrant
- High St – Motor vehicle stop
- Hartley Rd – Officer wanted
- Stevens Rd – Juvenile arrest
- Dexter Ln – Suspicious motor vehicle
- Neck Rd – Alarm, burglar
- North Ave – Vandalism
- Bowens Ln – Animal control
- Dexter Ln – Fire, other
- Bindas Way – Animal control
- North Ave – Radar assignment
- Braley Hill Rd – Animal control
- Vaughn Hill Rd – Alarm, burglar
- Mary's Pond Rd – Fire, brush
- Sarah Sherman Rd – Paper service
- Walnut Plain Rd – Ambulance request
- High St – ATV/Rec vehicle complaint
- Snipatuit Rd – General services
- Earls Ct – Suspicious MV
- Nobel Rd – Restraining order
- High St – Trespass order service
- Benner Ln – 911 silent
- Marion Rd – Disabled MV
- Earls Ct – Domestic disturbance
- Neck Rd – Motor vehicle stop
- Walnut Plain Rd – Erratic operation



LOCAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday May 3: Chicken Pot Pie w/vegetables, mashed potatoes, multi grain roll, peaches
 Tuesday May 4: Meatball sub, hash browns, California blend veg, sub roll, fresh fruit
 Wednesday May 5: Braised beef tips, buttered noodles, diced carrots, whole wheat bread, pudding Diet: pudding
 Thursday May 6: Savory baked chicken, red bliss potatoes, broccoli, fruit muffin, strawberry shortcake Diet: Graham waffle
 Friday May 7: Fish sandwich, tartar sauce, Parmesan mash potato, green beans, hamburger roll, pears

MATTAPOISETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Monday May 3: Chicken patty on a roll, lettuce, tomato, fruit, choice of milk
 Tuesday May 4: Soup, grilled

cheese, fresh fruit, choice of milk
 Wednesday May 5: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
 Thursday May 6: Hot dog on a roll, cole slaw, fruit, choice of milk
 Friday May 7: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, fruit, choice of milk

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday May 3: Appetizer chicken, bosco stick, fries, trail mix, choice of milk
 Tuesday May 4: Egg, sausage & cheese on an English muffin, oven roasted potatoes, warm spiced apple slices, choice of milk
 Wednesday May 5: Spaghetti w/ wo meat sauce, vegetable, garlic bread, fruit, choice of milk, cake
 Thursday May 6: Spicy chicken patty on a roll, vegetable, fruit,

choice of milk, Jell-o
 Friday May 7: Cheese or chicken quesadillas, fries, salad, blueberries, choice of milk

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Monday May 3: Chicken patty on a roll, lettuce, tomato, fruit, choice of milk
 Tuesday May 4: Assorted sandwiches, fruit, choice of milk
 Wednesday May 5: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, choice of milk
 Thursday May 6: Hot dog on a roll, cole slaw, fruit, choice of milk
 Friday May 7: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, fruit, choice of milk

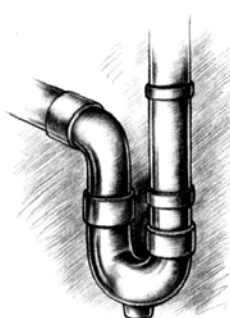
SIPPICAN SCHOOL, MARION

Monday May 3: Chicken patty on a roll, lettuce, tomato, fruit, choice of milk
 Tuesday May 4: Soup, grilled cheese, fresh fruit, choice of

milk
 Wednesday May 5: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, choice of milk
 Thursday May 6: Hot dog on a roll, cole slaw, fruit, choice of milk
 Friday May 7: Stuffed crust pizza, salad, fruit, choice of milk

OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday May 3: Hot dog or chili dog, beans, fries, peas, pears
 Tuesday May 4: Chicken patty, pasta salad, carrots, peaches
 Wednesday May 5: Waffles, sausage, hash browns, strawberries, OJ
 Thursday May 6: Turkey, gravy, stuffing, mashed potato, corn, mixed fruit
 Friday May 7: Pizza, salad, fruit



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Candidates' Night in Mattapoisett

Mattapoisett voters are invited to attend Candidates' Night on Sunday, **May 16** at 6:30 pm in Reynard Hall of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church, 27 Church Street. All candidates have been invited to speak about their qualifications, experience and their perspective on any pressing issues relevant to the office for which they are a candidate. You will have an opportunity to meet the candidates and ask questions. Refreshments will be served.

This event is sponsored by the League of Women Voters, a non-partisan organization that seeks to provide information to citizens about candidates, legislation and issues. Voters are encouraged to attend and learn more about the candidates for whom they will cast their ballots on Election Day, Tuesday, May 18.

ORR Class of 1970 Reunion

The Old Rochester Regional high school class of 1970 is planning their 40th class reunion this summer. Anyone wishing to have more information, please contact Cindy Haskell at Molly5971@aol.com or Dede Pangaro Smith at DSmithlil@comcast.net. We are looking for current e-mail addresses for classmates.

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Marion Art Center News

The Marion Art Center is hosting a retrospective exhibition of paintings and prints by Virginia Lovejoy Allyn in both galleries from **May 7 to June 9**. There will be an opening reception to greet the artist on Friday, May 7, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Ginny Allyn was a long-time resident of Marion and enjoyed working in her studio and raising a family here. On this Mother's Day weekend, her daughter, Nan, describes this remarkable woman as follows:

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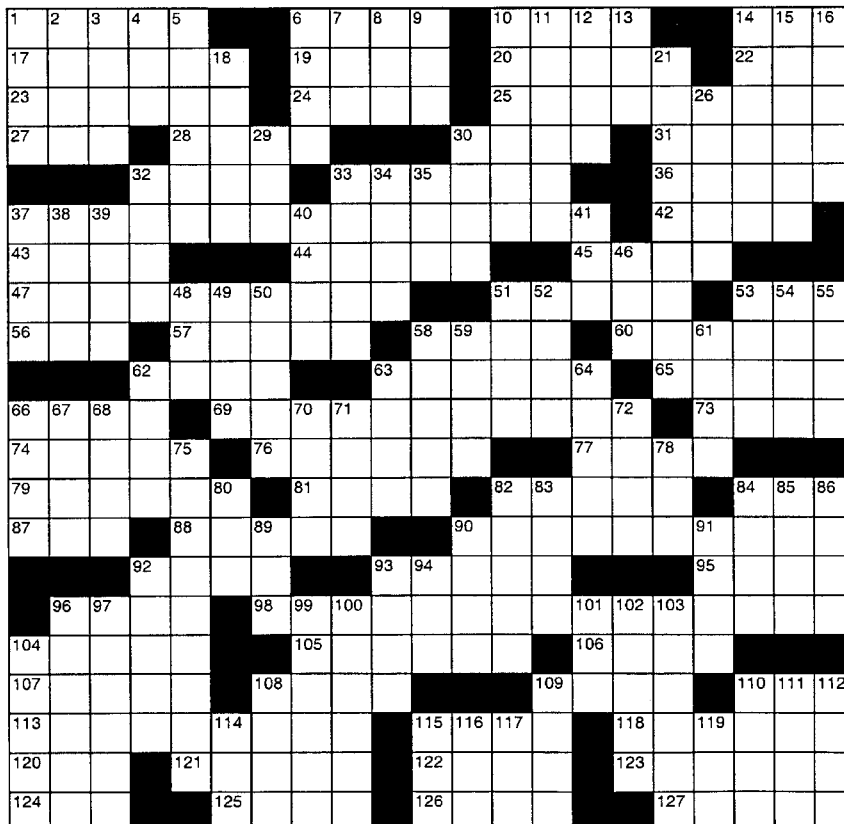
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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You still might have to deal with some lingering confusion that marked a recent workplace situation. But for the most part, you should now be well on your way to your next project.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A new commitment might demand more time than you'd expected to have to give it. But rely on that special Bovine gift for patience, and stick with it. You'll be glad you did.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You're earning the admiration of a lot of people who like the way you handle yourself when your views are on the line. Even one or two of your detractors are being won over.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Taking your responsibilities seriously is what you do. But ease up on the pressure gauge and make time for much needed R & R. Start by making this weekend a "just for fun" time zone.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Some recently uncovered information might make a change of plans inevitable. If so, deal with it as quickly as possible, and then find out what went wrong and why. What you learn might surprise you.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Aspects favor moving carefully and deliberately when making any significant changes. Could be there are more facts you need to know, which you might overlook if you rush things.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A problem neighbor might be looking to goad you into an action you don't want to take. Ask someone you both respect if he or she would act as an impartial arbitrator for both of you.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A recent workplace accomplishment hasn't been overlooked by those who watch these things. Meanwhile, start making travel plans for that much-too-long-deferred trip with someone special.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Those money matters continue to move in your favor. Now would be a good time to start putting some money back into the house, both for esthetic as well as economic reasons.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A changing workplace environment can create job pressures. But, once again, follow the example of your birth sign and take things a step at a time, like the sure-footed Goat you are.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Cheer up. You could soon have the funds you need for your worthy project. Your generous gifts of time and effort are well known, and someone might decide it's time to join with you.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your inner scam-catcher is right on target, and you're absolutely right to reject that "too-good-to-be-true" offer. Meanwhile, something positive should be making its way to you.

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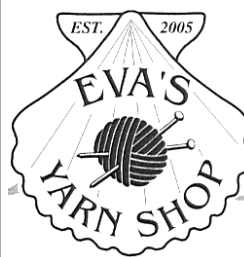
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loved to sail, so in 1969, the family moved from a suburb of Boston to Marion. She worked as a drug counselor in New Bedford, and for many years was guidance counselor at Sippican School in Marion. At the same time, she began to pursue a love of painting more and more seriously. She took classes at the Swain School in new Bedford and soon was driving up to Boston several times a week to paint with Joel Babb at the Museum School. I remember my mother painting in the dining room of our house, spreading out a tarpaulin on the floor to protect the carpet, and swathed in a large paint-bespeckled green apron. She produced seascapes and bathers lying on the beach. She appreciated the odd, infinitely interesting proportions of bodies sprawled in sunshine. She also loved the expanse of horizon, where the sea meets the sky.

"Some time around 1986, my mother transferred her work to a studio that she'd had built behind the garage. She began to take classes in printmaking at the South Shore Art Center and became interested in monotypes, partly for the techniques she wanted to master, and partly because in print making, there are



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some things that the artist cannot control, so there is a sense of discovery and delight – or despair – as the run is made and the sheet comes through."

"She exhibited her work widely between 1988 and 2005, and has shown at the Duxbury Art Complex, the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, The Cape Museum of Fine Arts, Copley Society, Provincetown Art Association and Museum, and the Marion Art Center. She has won numerous prizes in both painting and printmaking." She belonged to several arts organizations.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The Marion Art Center is located at the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets. Admission is free.

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<p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 4, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Ashley & John Ohrenberger, 100 Ryder Road, Rochester, MA 02770. The applicant proposes installation of a 30' round above ground swimming pool within the 100-foot Buffer Zone. Siltation control measures will be implemented</p> <p>The subject property is located at 100 Ryder Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot #14, on Assessors' Map #21. The property owner of record is the same as the applicant. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law. Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 04/29</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 4, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Notice of Intent filed by Erica B. Benoit & Kathryn E. Guy. The applicants are proposing to construct a driveway crossing through bordering vegetated wetlands. The project requires filling of 650 square feet of wetland and provides a replication area of 850 square feet.</p> <p>The subject property is located off Snipatuit Road in Rochester, and is designated as Lot #35 on Assessors' Map #35. The property owner of record is the same as the applicant. The applicant's representative is Rick J. Charon of Charon Associates, Inc. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetlands Protection By-Law. Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 04/29</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD The Mattapoisett Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 17, 2010 at 7:00 PM. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall for a Definitive Subdivision Plan to be known as "Pine Island Estates" submitted by Timothy M. & Greta C. Fox. The Applicants propose to develop a 5.62 acre parcel into 2 lots through the submittal of a Definitive Subdivision. The proposed development is formerly the southwesterly portion of the 2 Pine Island Road property and is further identified as a portion of Lot #4 on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #5. Plans are available for viewing at the Planning Board Office at Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett or at the office of N. Douglas Schneider & Associates, Inc., 1 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Please call this office in advance of viewing the plans at (508) 758-7866. Planning Board 04/29, 05/06</p>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF SELECTION A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 25, 2010 at 7:15PM in the first floor Conference Room of Mattapoisett Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 upon the application for a transfer of an all alcohol liquor license from Sea-Zephyr Corporation d/b/a Tokyo Restaurant 143 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett to Tokyo Restaurant, Inc. d/b/a Tokyo Restaurant, 143 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA. Anyone wishing to make comment may do so by attending this public meeting.</p> <p>Jordan C. Collyer, Chairman Paul A. Silva, Vice Chairman George Randall, Clerk 04/29, 05/06</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Place your classified ads 24 hours a day 7 days a week on-line at www.wanderer.com</p>	<p>YARD SALE 1 Freight House Rd/Minot Ave Wareham. May 1-2, 8:00-4:00pm. No early birds. 4 Families, you name it, we have it. Computer laptop, TV's, DVD player, beauti control makeup, home & garden, infant clothes never worn. Furniture.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">YEAR ROUND RENTALS Marion renovated 1+ bedrooms on estate. Beach and boat access \$1050 Marion-Studio apartment, off street parking Near beach \$775 Wareham-1BR, 1.5 BA house w/access to Weweantic, w/d, \$950/mo or \$600/weekly</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SUMMER RENTALS Molly's Cove, Mattapoisett 4BR all around water views. Marion-4/5 BR in Piney Point Marion 3BR home \$850/week Rochester, summer escape, camp on Snipatuit Pond Many other seasonal rentals. RACE REAL ESTATE 508-748-0479 www.racereonline.com</p> <hr/> <p>You Load It We Dump It or We Load for Extra Fee YOU SAVE MONEY 6 cu. yd container \$95 plus dump fee For details call Sheascapes Services 508-748-1391</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">YOUR HOUSEKEEPER Residential, Cottage, and Office Cleaning Bonded and Insured 508-207-6362 or 508-994-2711</p>



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Because of the popularity of this the tea, advance reservations are required. Tickets are \$12. (\$10 for seniors and ladies five though nine). Please call or e-mail Kim Field by May 15 to reserve your tickets. Kim can be reached at 508-758-8993 or cootcove@comcast.net.

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Relay For Life events are held overnight as individuals and teams camp out at an athletic track, park or other gathering area, with the goal of keeping at least one team member on the track or pathway at all times throughout the evening. Teams do most of their fundraising prior to the event, but there are many on-site fundraising opportunities for the community to participate in at their campsites and under the Survivors tent during Relay. Relay brings together friends, families, businesses, communities, hospitals, schools, faith-based groups - people from all walks of life, and all aimed at furthering the American Cancer Society's efforts to save lives by helping people stay well, by helping them get well, by finding cures, and by fighting back.

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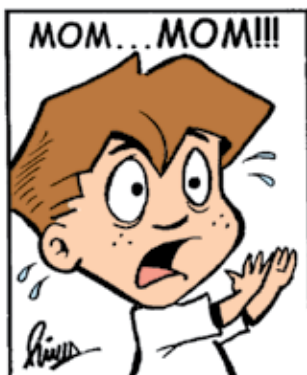
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Magic Hour at Marion Congregational

A Magical Event will be presented by Marcus the Magician at the First Congregational Church of Marion on Saturday, **May 1**. The magic hour will start at 4:00 pm in the Community Center Hall at 144 Front Street in Marion. Tickets are \$7.00.

Marcus presents a very visual, high-energy magic show filled with fun and laughter as he invites the children to assist him as he performs feats of magic. This show is sure to provide mystical entertainment for all ages.

Machacam Club

The Machacam Club will hold its next meeting on **May 5** at the Legion Hall, 3 Depot Street. Social time is 5:30 pm, dinner is at 6:00 pm.

Since May is the last Machacam Club meeting until October, we are happy to welcome back Seth Mendell who will present the final installment of his "History of the Elizabeth Islands." This portion will examine Tasquey and Nashawena Islands and review the highlights of all the islands we have discussed on our journey through this historic chain off our shores.

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Old Colony NHS Induction

The National Honor Society (NHS) at Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School announces its annual Induction Ceremony will be conducted on Wednesday evening, **May 5**. The ceremony will include dinner prepared by the school's Culinary Arts department.

The ceremony will begin at 6:00 pm with a reception followed by dinner at 6:30 pm. The candlelight induction will immediately follow dinner.

Graduate members are invited to attend and are encouraged to contact NHS Advisor, Christine Watling, at 508-763-8011 ext. 120.

Plumb Library News

• **Mother's Day Fundraiser** – The Friends of Plumb Library are holding a Mother's Day fundraiser, with the help of two local bakeries. Help the Friends and please your mother with some of the following goodies: Peanut Butter Candy Bark; White Chocolate Snack Mix; Pretty in Pink raspberry cookies; a Chocolate Lovers Gift Box; Cranberry Almond Vanilla Granola, Seaside Truffle Mix; and much more. Order forms are available at the Plumb Library in Rochester or on the website, www.plumblibrary.org.

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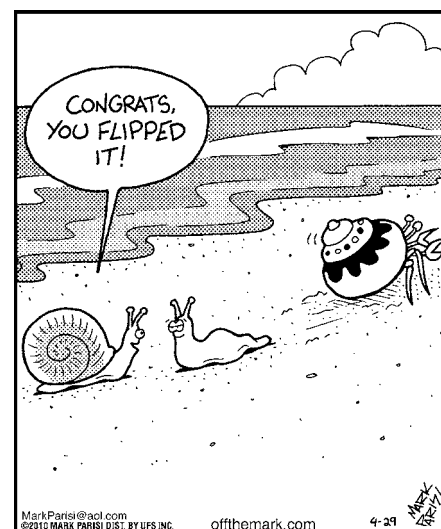
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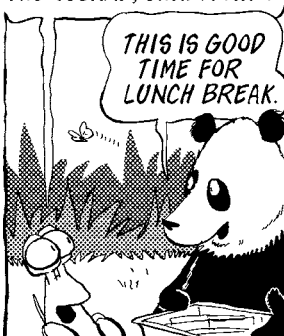
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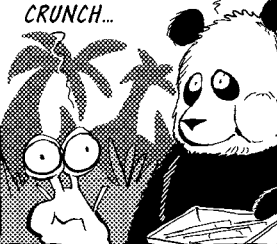
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• **Authors' Appearances** – Some terrific authors are scheduled to read and discuss their work at the Mattapoisett Library this spring and summer! Former editor of House and Garden Magazine, Dominique Browning will read from her new book *Slow Love* on Wednesday, **June 2** at 7:00 pm. Dr. Daniel Schacter of Harvard University's Psychology Department will speak about his research on memory on Thursday, **June 10** at 7:00 pm. He has authored several books including *The Seven Sins of Memory*. Well-known fishing captain and author Linda Greenlaw will read from her new book on Friday, **July 9** at 3:00 pm. All great events, so mark your calendars.

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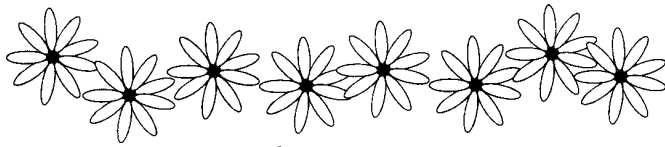
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18oz. Prime Rib topped with
savory au jus sauce

New England Style Clam Boils Pan fried sole
piccata over
linguine

Lobster stuffed w/scallops, shrimp and
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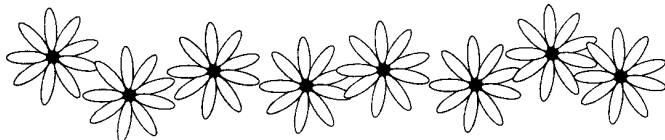
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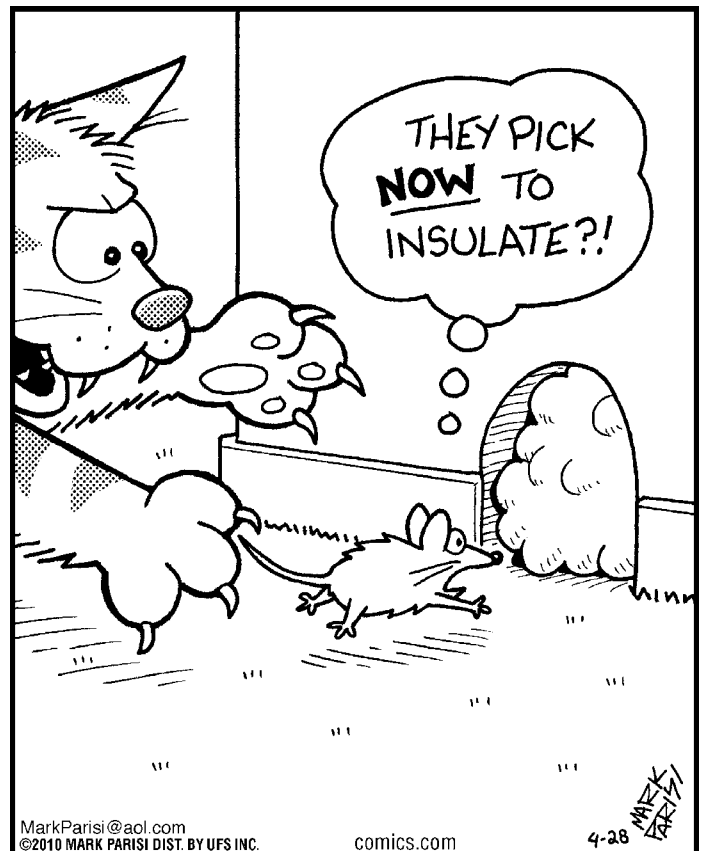
Local Tides

Date	Day	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
April 29:	Thurs.	9:13	9:36	2:48	2:30
April 30:	Fri.	10:01	10:23	3:30	3:12
May 1:	Sat.	10:49	11:12	4:10	3:54
May 2:	Sun.	11:38	...	4:50	4:37
May 3:	Mon.	12:01	12:28	5:31	5:23
May 4:	Tues.	12:51	1:18	6:16	6:15
May 5:	Wed.	1:41	2:09	7:10	7:21
May 6:	Thurs.	2:32	3:02	8:16	8:54
May 7:	Fri.	3:25	3:55	9:19	10:12
May 8:	Sat.	4:20	4:47	10:08	11:04
May 9:	Sun.	5:13	5:35	10:51	11:47
May 10:	Mon.	6:02	6:19	11:32	...
May 11:	Tues.	6:44	6:59	12:29	12:11
May 12:	Wed.	7:26	7:39	1:10	12:49
May 13:	Thurs.	8:07	8:20	1:52	1:29
May 14:	Fri.	8:50	9:03	2:34	2:10
May 15:	Sat.	9:36	9:49	3:16	2:53
May 16:	Sun.	10:24	10:38	3:59	3:37

Phases of the Moon	Last Quarter	May 6th
	New Moon	May 14th
	First Quarter	May 20th
	Full Moon	May 27th

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